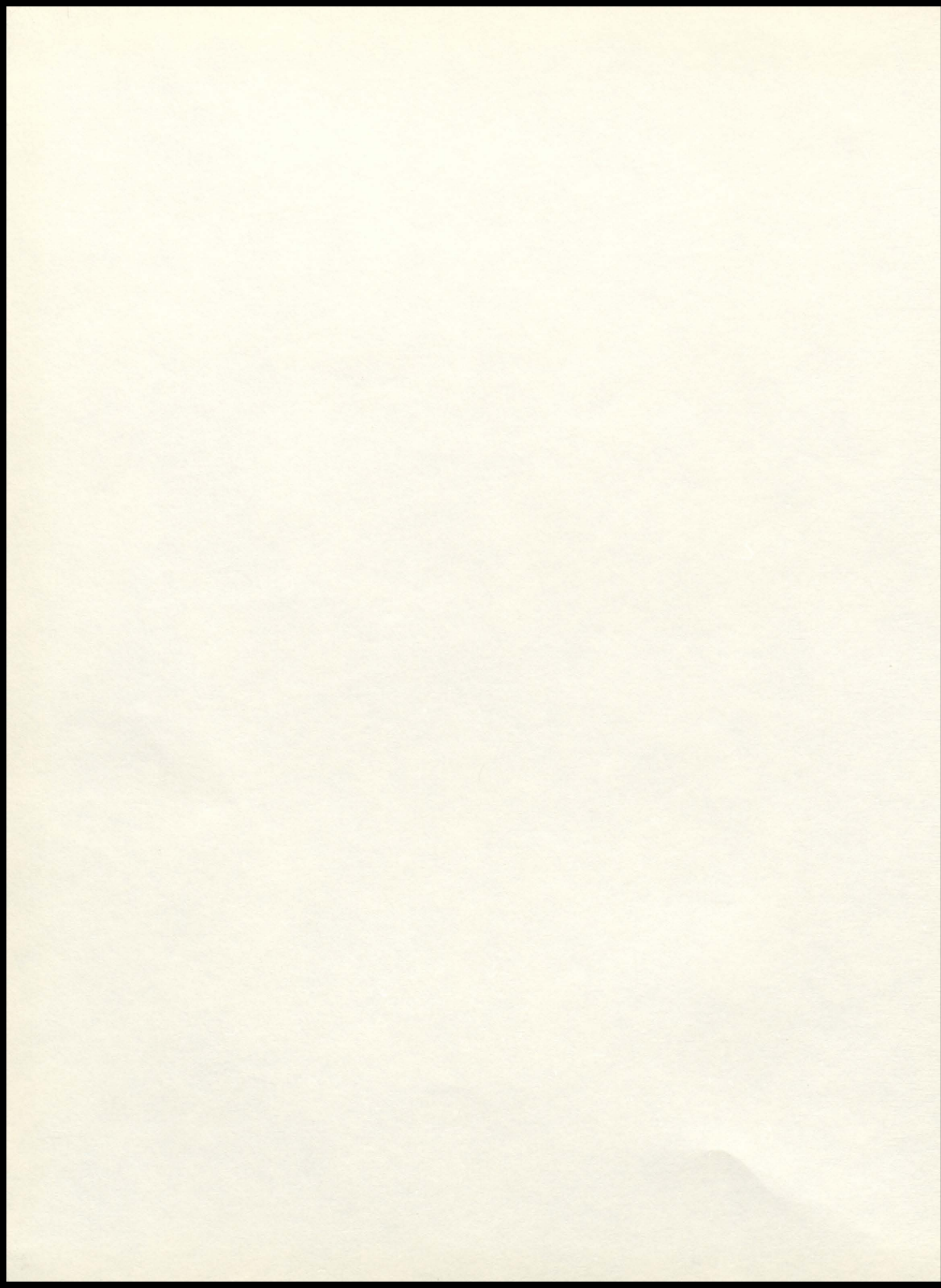




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*The Annie Wright School
827 North Tacoma Avenue
Tacoma, Washington 98403*

FROM STRENGTH TO STRENGTH



Robert Klarsch
Headmaster

*T*rees are like children in that they are both renewable resources. I see myself as a person whose job is to not only make sure that the new trees are planted on an annual basis so the school will have a harvest 14 years down the road, but also as a person who has the responsibility to prune them as they grow and the years go by. Many years ago a parent told me that her rather irascible child was very much like a wild plant to be left to grow as he saw fit. I responded to that parent that I thought that all healthy plants needed pruning once in a while. My relationship to the great tree farm of Annie Wright is as planter and pruner. As it is the responsibility of the tree farm to renew the resource of wood products, it is the responsibility of Annie Wright to renew the resource of capable, self-reliant human beings to live and lead our world.



Jinny Chung, Sara Olson, Beth Broadhead and Jill Jueling share in the spiritual life at Annie Wright.



Tacoma Mayor Karen Vialle and Sergeant Barbara Justice congratulate fifth grader Megan Wong at the D.A.R.E. awards ceremony.



Left: Alicia Araya, Heather Bamford, Patrick Tuohy, Becky Kirkpatrick and Amy Bode hard at work in the middle school science lab.

Above: Rhondi Adair and Sophie Wadsworth enjoy a relaxing moment after classes.

NUTURING THE SEEDLINGS



*What do we plant when we plant the tree?
We plant the ship that will cross the sea,*



The Back-to-School Picnic was a joyous time to renew old friendships and make new acquaintances.

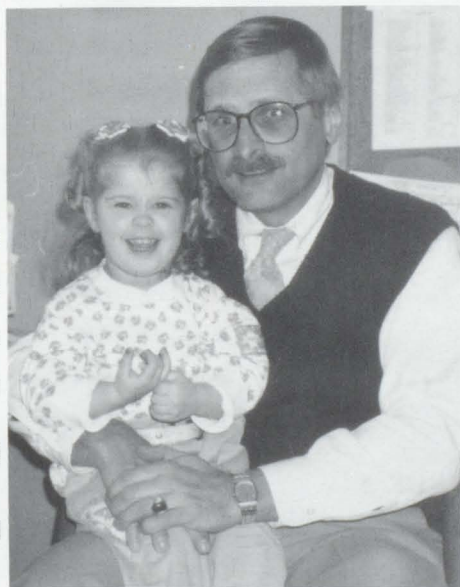
Left: A time for giving thanks for what we have, a time for sharing with others.



Halloween was a time for dressing up and celebrating by sharing with each other.



We all enjoyed learning about and working with the new computers which the Parents Association purchased for us.



*Jack Fallat
Lower School Principal*

I grew up around trees. You could see a tree from every window in our house. We had oak trees, apple and cherry trees, dogwood and maple. I climbed them all - built a big tree house in one of them. Our neighbors had enormous old oak trees. I climbed those too - even though I wasn't allowed to. After a big storm, one of those oak trees fell across a creek, and it formed the most wonderful bridge that we used for years and years.

I once saw an ad in a magazine that had a car parked in an alley of old oak trees. I went to work to find out where the picture had been taken - a plantation in Louisiana - I went there - 300 year old oak trees forming a tunnel leading up to the main plantation house. I sat under those trees for hours and hours - what a magical moment it was.

I do have a special affection for trees. I must live near them - I want them near me.

TRULY A YEAR OF GROWTH



*We plant the mast to carry the sails,
We plant the planks to withstand the gales-*

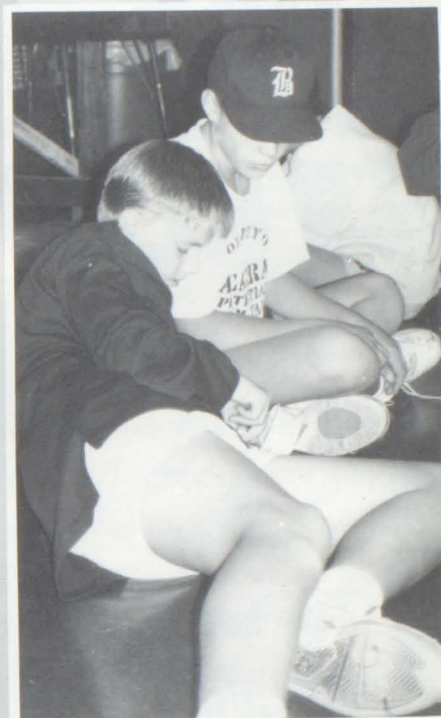


*Tuney Layton
Middle School Coordinator*

As trees continue their growth from a sapling stage, many variations occur. There are some trees, strongly seeking light, that grow swiftly upwards. Others, taking time to more fully develop strong roots, reveling in the shade, grow thicker rather than tall, building a strong inner fiber. Some trees have futures as canopy trees, looming high in the forest, spreading protective branches over others. Certain trees have a destiny of being in a quieter understory niche, supporting different plants' and animals' needs. During this youthful time, each tree is an individual, reacting to its environment and its own needs, growing at different rates, having different potentials, and different microenvironments. Each tree is an integral part of the ecosystem, playing its personal role, which no one else can do.



*Above: As part of the advisee group celebrations ceremony, students attempted to pass water balloons to their partners.
Left: Master flintknapper Harry Oda shared the art of prehistoric tool-making with middle school students.*



*Right: Seventh grader Nick Vikstrom and his teammate analyze how to solve a problem at orientation.
Below: Mr. Mitchell's mini-course band performed an old Dylan tune, "Knocking on Heaven's Door". Group members included Dava McCoy on drums, Joy Nix and Amy Condon on vocals, Brian McFarland, Mr. Mitchell and guest on guitars.*



THE TREE GROWS STRONG



Rachel Carey-Fuson has a laugh while Lisa Kim ponders the meaning of her glasses.

*The keel, and keelson, and beam and knee—
We plant the ship when we plant the tree.*

Karen McDonald shows the pond wildlife to the freshmen during their trip to the rain forest.





Jinny Chung and Chuenie Noranitipadungkarn show off some of their nautical abilities.



*Lily Driskill
Director of Upper School*

A single tree may be described as a miniature ecosystem. Annie Wright is analogous to a tree's ecosystem.

A healthy tree, for example, has a root system embedded in fertile well watered ground, which is stabilized by bedrock. The tree's weight is born by a sturdy trunk. Several supporting boughs lead to smaller networks of branches which carry nutrients to the leaves. The sap which flows through the branches nourishes all parts of the tree. The leaves create an important conduit. Not only do they receive nurturance from the sap, they take in sunlight and moisture which are essential to the tree's ability to grow. The tree is not a totally self-contained system. In order for it to bear fruit, for example, blossoms must be pollinated by bees.

The tree grows and bears fruit best when it is well-tended: pruned, fertilized, watered, as necessary. The fruit, then, may be harvested and distributed so that others benefit from it.

Bark protects the tree from attacks, such as disease, foraging animals, or car fenders. As seasons pass and small branches and leaves fall to the ground, they replenish the soil with important nutrients which provide for the tree's continued strength.

Analogy according to Lily:

Bedrock= community

Root system= parents and trustees

Trunk= headmaster

Main boughs= division directors/
coordinators

Branches= residence staff, faculty,
advisors and coaches

Caretaker= maintenance, house and
support staff

Bark= finance

Climate= admissions, communications

Sap= thought/ideas

Leaves= students

Bees= colleges, universities

Fruit= graduates

Humus= alumni and development

PROVIDING LOVING CARE



The Board of Trustees works hard to ensure that AWS grows stronger each day.

***Woodman, spare that tree!
Touch not a single bough!
In youth it sheltered me,
And I'll protect it now.***

The Parent Association at AWS offers Moms and Dads yet another chance to get involved and show their support for their child's education.

The primary goal of the Parents Association is to encourage the interaction among parents, students and teachers. This is done in a variety of ways throughout the year, including the "Back-to-School" Picnic, the Separation/Anxiety Coffee, and the Teacher Appreciation Breakfast.

A secondary, but very important role of the Parents Association is fundraising. Over the past six years the Annual Crab Feed and Auction has raised \$150,000 which has gone back into programs at AWS.



*Susan Early
Parents Association President*

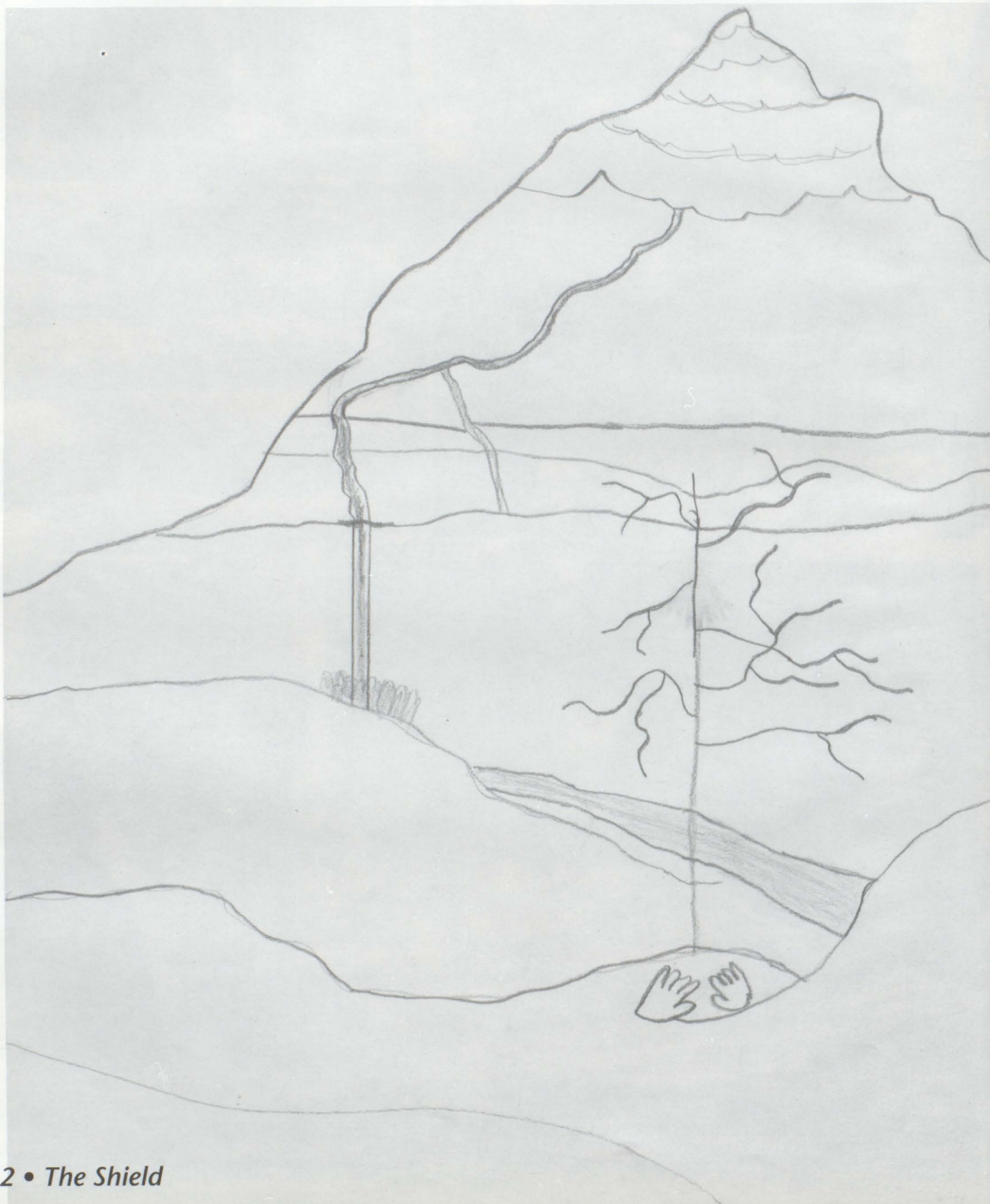


*Left: Parent Kally Dowling with her children at the Annie Wright Back-to-School Picnic.
Above: Co-chair Connie Condon enjoying herself at the very successful 1992 Crab Feed and Auction.*



Parents and friends of the Annie Wright School enjoy the Crab Feed.

Lower School



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by: Gregory

Teachers

The teachers of the Annie Wright Lower School spent a great part of the year planning for new and exciting events for their students. Students took many trips off campus, but without careful planning and hours of coordination these events would never have happened.

Students were presented with opportunities to develop and grow physically, spiritually and mentally. Teachers were always looking to push each of their students to their fullest.

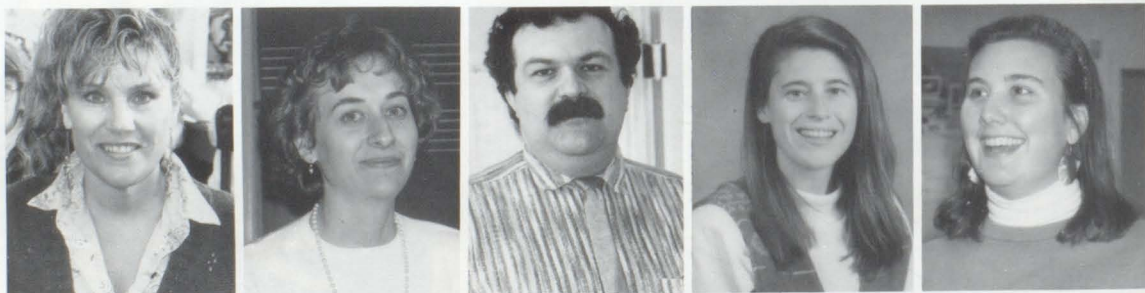
Students will always look back at their past teachers with fondness, but teachers look at each of their students and see the future.



*Rhondi Adair
Gillian Arrasmith*



*Anne Ashby
Karen Brederg
Jan Buennagel
Cyndi Cashman-Dibiase
Maureen Covington*



*Pam Dale
Elizabeth DeVoe
Nancy Donaldson
Cherene Edwards
Scott Hamilton*



Teachers

Evelyn Tomter and Linda King hard at work on the computer.



Robin Menke helps fourth graders with their science experiments.



*Eric Haynes
Linda King
Barbara Klarsch
Julia Lehman
Robin Menke*



*Patty Nielsen
Ellen Oppenheim
Allison Parks
Sandy Pell
Sherie Peterson*



*Diana Rosevear
Jeanne Schneider-Powers
Charlotte Snow
Sabin Stevens
Jesse Thompson*



*Evelyn Tomter
Marilyn Tuohy
Nancy Vancil
Jo Whitacre
Jean Young*

Pre-K • Pre-K

Pre-Kindergarten was a year full of new and exciting experiences. For Valentine's Day we learned some super sweet songs and took a field trip to the post office to mail love letters to our parents.

We celebrated our 100th day of school by bringing 100 things to school so that we could count them. To celebrate our learning of the letter P we had a Pajama Party and cooked Pancakes.

At Halloween we visited a pumpkin farm, took a cornstalk walk and our fathers came to school to help us carve pumpkins.

What a year we had! Next year will be even better, but we will always look back at our year in Pre-Kindergarten with a big smile on our faces.



*Tabira Adaria
Annie Arrasmith
George Dittmar
Alexandra Dowling
Scott Ehlers*



*Karin Erwin
Rachael Johns
Cici Klein
Brice Leahy
Joseph Leighton*



Pre-K • Pre-K



*Left: The first day of class can be kind of scary.
Below: Christina Menke plays with our class pet,
Snuggles.
Right: Who are these wild and crazy guys?*



*Jordan Lyon
Christina Menke
Garrett Michaud
Andrew Nakayama
Michael Su*



*Robbie Vercio
Caitlin Wood
Micah Wood*

Kindergarten

The Kindergarten year started off with the life cycle of the salmon with trips to the Ballard Locks and Minter Creek Salmon Hatchery.

We had a terrific time exploring trees as an ecosystem and had a wonderful tour through the forest at Discovery Park.

In November we held our traditional Thanksgiving feast complete with candy and fruit turkeys and beef jerky.

Winter found us blasting off in to space and learning about Native Americans.

The year ended with bird watching through our homemade binoculars and exploring marine life at Kopachuck and Dash Point State Parks.



*Alexander Adams
Zeyad Baghdadi
Kelli Bailey
Kiri Bleecker*



*Michael Bonazza
Ciara Carolan
Tiffany Chaney
Teal Donovan Green
Kathryn Dorr*

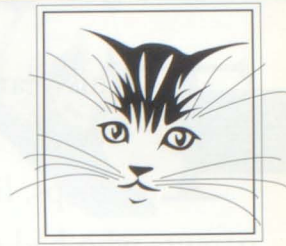


*Zachary Dowling
Laura Finley
Emilie Firn
Katherine Furman
Robert Geiersbach*



Kindergarten

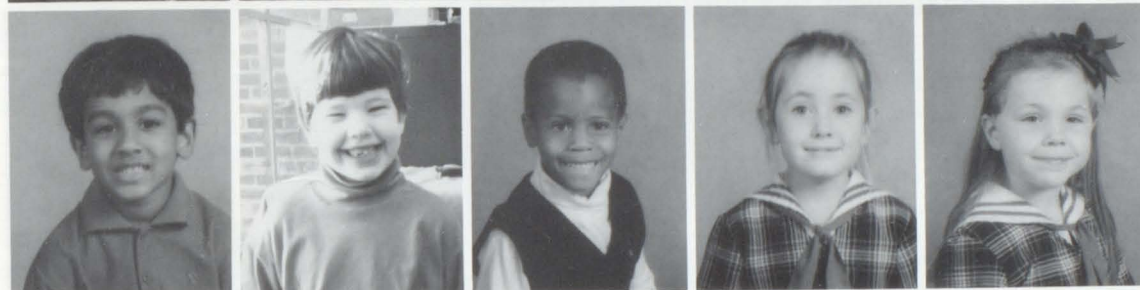
A "BIG" eater takes a rest break from his delicious Thanksgiving lunch.



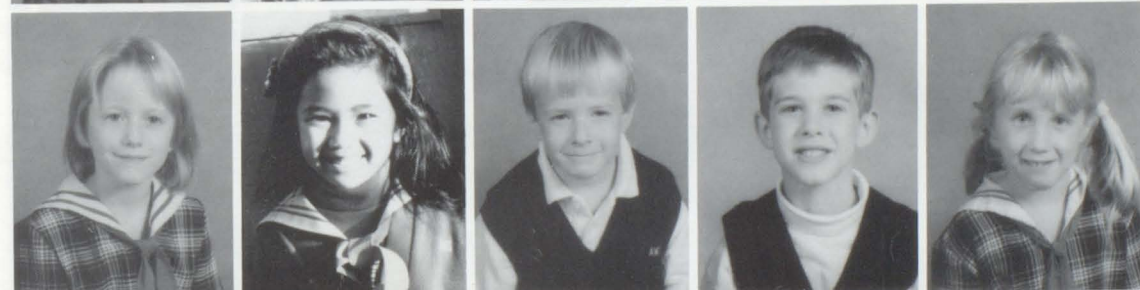
Kya Granum
Andrew Kerr
Zane Kharas
Frances Kimpel
Aidan Haley



Lindley Malo
Katelyn Mancuso
Lindsey Nichols
Brett Paddock
Torie Pascoe



Vignesh Raghunath
Michael Ray
Dominique Remy
Jaime Scholtens
Meaghan Shaffer



Lindsey Shelley
Shea Simpson
Hayden Taylor
Aaron Thompson
Ailsa Wallerich-Neils



Margaret Waterbury
Jessica Weigel
Bria Weir
Vinod Zachariah
Missy Zenczak

First • First

This year, the first grade learned about all the bears of the world. They wrote, read and reported their findings from maps, library books, videos and personal stories from parents who had encountered bears while hiking. During the final day of bear week an open house was held for bears from home. The bears were classified (black, sun, brown, Kodiak) and some real information about the stuffed animals were shared. The classroom looked like a bear cave.

In the Spring to celebrate transportation week, the first grade took the Amtrak to East Olympia. The trip began early in the morning with the first train out of Tacoma, and arrived at mid-morning in Olympia. While on the train, the children and parents were encouraged to walk around to the other cars and view the Puget Sound. School busses met the children and took them for more adventures at the Tumwater Fish Ladders. First graders went to a local park for lunch before departing for home.



Brian Anderson



Eve Bleeker
Clementine Briand
Connor Carolan
Stephanie Dehrkoop
Lydia Diaconou



Ponce Durr
Michael Early
Hilary Edwards
Patrick Finley
Victor Fuste



First

First

First graders Lydia Diaconou and Jamie Predmore
hamming it up for the camera.



Elizabeth Garnatz
Andrew Hoyt
Sean Kelley
Nikki Lynch
Ariel Lyon



Erin McNamara
Kiera Miller
Anne Nelson
Janine Olson
Adrienne Ottum



Kelsey Owens
Jennifer Pan
MaryAlice Parks
Jamie Predmore
Keltie Roberts



Scott Ruggles
Alexandra Seaman
Erica Selig
Taylor Simpson
Michael Snyder



Natalie Walker
Ryan Wemyss
Joshua Widenmann
David Winter
Maria Yousoufian

Second • Sec

Second grade at Annie Wright offered a wide variety of learning experiences, focused on building skills and learning new information. Exploration of dinosaurs led to many

discoveries about those creatures who inhabited the earth millions of years ago. Through writing, math, orienteering and literature, second graders learned about the adventurous lives of pirates.

Understanding plants and animals and how we are all connected in an amazing “web of life”, as well as becoming aware of the need to be stewards of the earth was another focus of the second grade.

Their Pen Pal and Airplane Toss experience with Bryant Elementary helped them to learn about diversity in the community, and make new friends. Throughout the second grade experience, students expanded their horizons to be conscientious global citizens.



Taryn Anderson



*Nick Anderson
Alan Arrasmith
Hala Baghdadi
Michael Baine
Jessica Belcher*



*Jesseka Bethke
Pierre Briand
Hilary Bruce
Ashelea Clark
Julia Coleman*

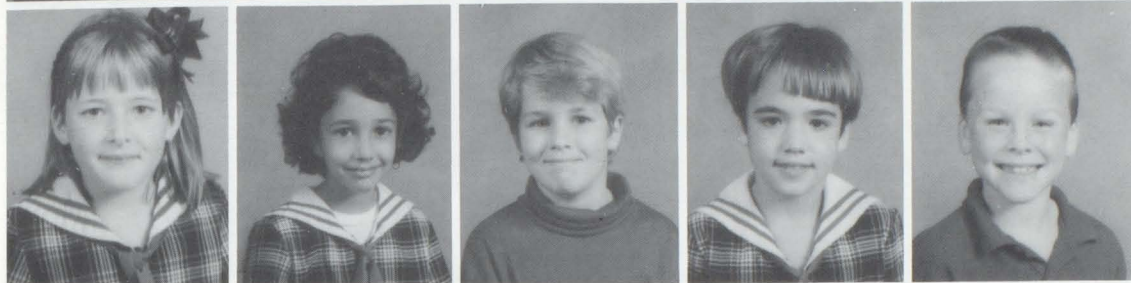


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Second grade students look on as Rev. Di blesses
Upper School teacher Susan Bennett's pet.



Katie Eichorn
Megan Ellis
Angelitta Fernandez
Sarah Furman
Shannon Gazecki



Caroline Griffin
Vera Kharas
Cassidy Kristensen
Jamie Kulpa
Ben Leighton



Casey Leo
Brian Lert
Kirsten Lind
Amelia Martin
Brett Meager



Jessica Menke
David Pannen
Gregory Ray
Jennifer Roush
Alexander Rupert



Chad Scarbrough
Dionne Swayze
Tommy Swenson
J.J. Tucci
Jesse Williams-Proudman

Third • Third

Third grade students will look back at a year filled with work and play. They will remember the Modopa Boards to show how the people of a small New Guinea village meet their basic needs.

At Halloween, haunted rooms were built inside of shoeboxes and scary stories about the rooms were attached to bulletin boards. Rockets were built in science, and a trip to the Flight Museum will always bring back thoughts of those magnificent flying machines. The Annual Eggdrop was met with the usual enthusiasm as students planned ways to protect an egg for a drop from the tower.

At the end of the year, a day of fun and sharing with Bryant Elementary School in Wright Park. Third graders will remember books, numbers, friends and new experiences.



*Derek Attig
Reid Bennion*



*Brittany Beug
Brendan Clark
Anne Condon
Alex Diaconou
Melissa Erickson*



*Kirsten Erwin
Christopher Finley
Tyler Fulcher
Graff Haley
Brett Hampton*



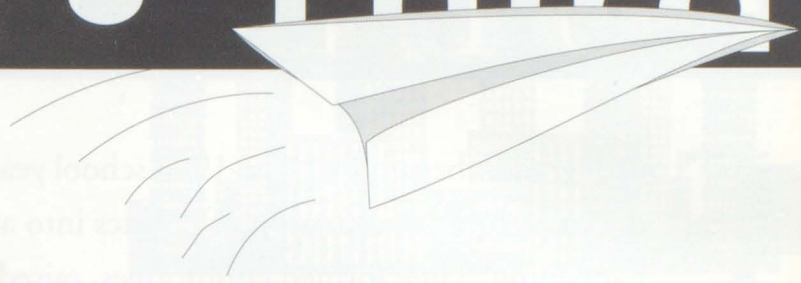
*Samantha Hard
Jessica Holman
Holland Hume
Jeff Jensen
Malena Keller*



Third • Third

Left: Third graders Ashley Ruggles and Lizze Mills prepare for future careers with NASA.

Below: Sitting back in the comfy chair, Derek Attig and Tyler Fulcher dive into a good book.



Malena Keller
Rob Kersey
Casey Levy
Laura Lind
Athena Macy

Lizze Mills
Alex Mungia
Katherine Murto
Tara Nugent
Ashley Ottlyk

Vanessa Padelford
Alison Pascoe
Thayne Robinson
Allison Rone
Ashley Ruggles

Kelley Sigl
Amanda Tice
Justin Turnipseed
Gillian Wemyss
Gabriel Wood

Fourth graders began the 1992-1993 school year by turning the excitement and passion of politics into a schoolwide happening. They formed committees, raised issues, campaigned and held debates. The election process culminated in a trip to the State Capitol, Supreme Court and a meeting with both Governor Booth Gardner and Governor-elect Mike Lowry.

They teamed up with fourth graders from Bryant School to study Japan and celebrate Kite Day.

In science each student adopted a tree on the Annie Wright grounds and charted its changes through the seasons. Our traditional study of the United States was done through song, cooking and literature, as well as writing reports.

Spring brought our music performance "Joseph and the Technicolor Dreamcoat". Fourth graders also completed a unit on architecture with a visit to the "Building Buildings" exhibit at the Children's Museum.



Adrienne Adams



*Price Alley
Justin Bailey
Stephanie Benson
Andy Benton
Ryan Birley*

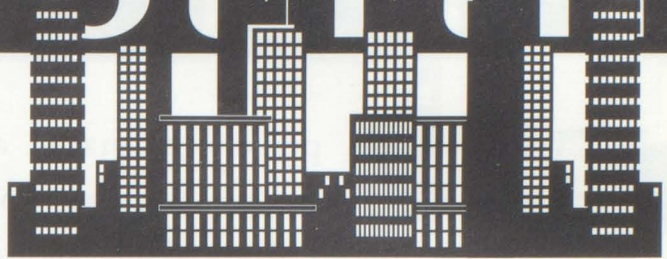


*Brittany Bruce
Courtney Carrara
David Dehrcoop
Dwight Donaldson
Ashely Fuson*



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Fourth grade students had the opportunity to meet with Governor-elect Mike Lowry and Governor Booth Gardner.



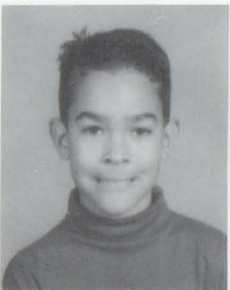
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Gar Hansen
Hilary Jensen
Lauren Komorous
Steven Lee



Derek Lert
Zach Luce
James Lynch
Melissa Macs
Megan McNamara



Anne Morkill
Jon Paul
Shelia Rowe
Lindsey Rue
Ryan Schnitzer



Josh Scholtens
Nicole Selig
Jason Swayze
Joey Tucci
Cheny Vidrine



Vince Vidrine
Katherine Vonderau
Jaqueline Walker
Emily Watt
Mellisa Willet

Fifth grade presented many academic and social challenges. Reading contracts, Math Olympiad and Word Master allowed the girls and boys to individualize their academic goals. The D.A.R.E. program with the Tacoma Police Department gave them an opportunity to set personal goals for giving themselves healthy bodies and minds.

Multicultural education was a central theme of the fifth grade. Students made a quilt with squares of poetry in honor of Native Americans which was presented in chapel for Columbus Day. For their parents' day chapel, they celebrated Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. with a tribute to Black History.

Their authentic overnight experience at Pioneer Farm in the spring was a great learning and sharing experience. Field trips to N.O.O.A. and the zoo added to the fun and education in the fifth grade.



Alexis Anderson



*Kim Anderson
Christina Bennett
Carin Birka
Laird Bennion
Colleen Borst*



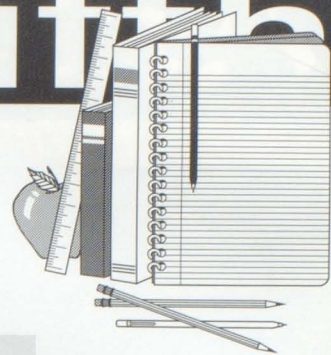
*Ruth Bonazza
Francois Briand
Jessi Bunning
Wendy Carman
Claire Elam*



Fifth

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Claire Elam receives her D.A.R.E. award from Sergeant Barbara Justice, while Wend Carman waits for her turn.



*Shannon Grant
Fiona Hatfield
Ashley Hill
Jason Holman
Jessica Knodel*



*Nicholas Komorous
Elizabeth Lowery
Daniel Malerba
Ali Mason
Jemma Pereña*



*Katherine Pima
Corinne Plymate
Erica Ray
Kristen Robbel
Eric Rone*



*Brian Rousseau
Kyle Ruggles
Mark Seegmueller
Stefanie Smith
Steven Staurset*



*Brendan Tuohy
Pernelle Turnipseed
Julia Vancil
Lindsey Wonderly
Megan Wong*

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Mrs. Jumper and her first graders strut their Halloween duds

Nancy Donaldson and Meghan Shaffer walk hand-in-hand to the parade of costumes.

HALLOWEEN 1992



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Sarah Furman proudly shows her attachid legs while Gregory Ray looks on.



Second graders get ready for their performance on Halloween.

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Zach Luce and Ryan Buehly perform on Halloween



*Could it be that AWS has been taken over by BATES?
No, it's just Ali Mason, Alex Anderson, and Carin
Birka hanging around.*



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ROCKETS



Elizabeth Day and her 1st grade class is awed by how far their rockets soar.



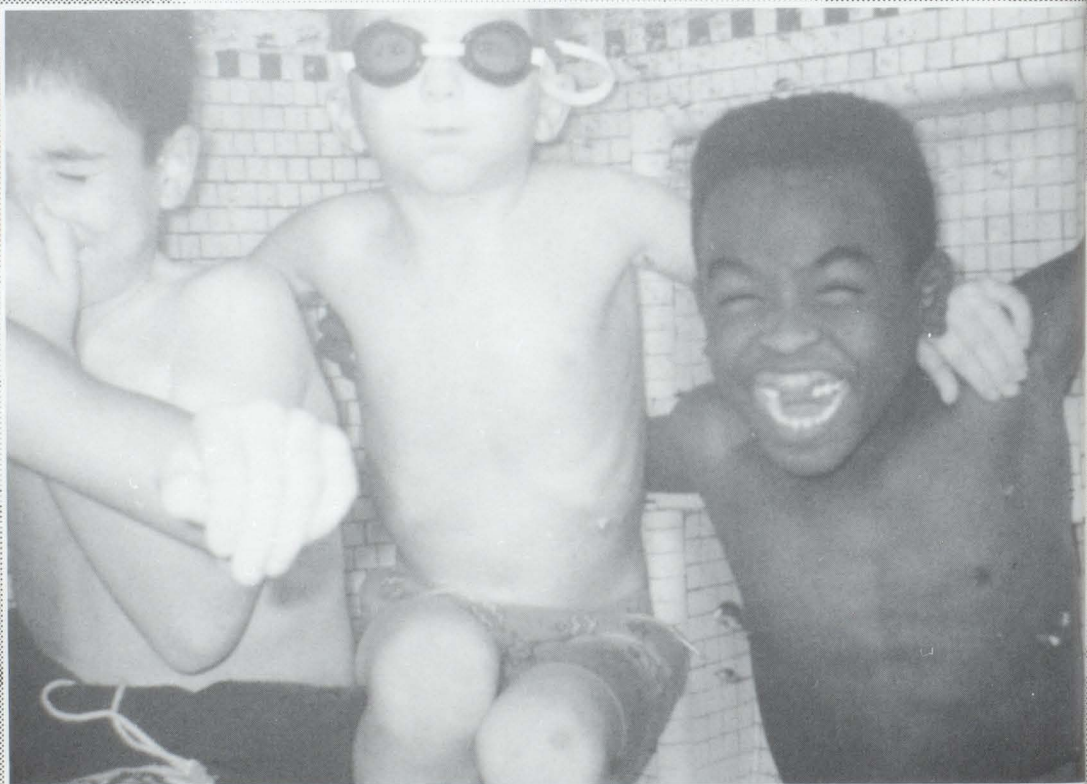
Alexis Mangia, Vanessa Batejan, and Brett Hampton wait with anxious anticipation to blast off their rocket.

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*Lydia Dutton and Linda Pedraza
are underwater buddies.*

*Victor, Michael, and Ronce giggle
and pose for an underwater shot.*



Activities • Activities



Above: AWS students camp on the front lawn during the Back-to-School Picnic.

Left: Ashlea Clark, EJ Tuohy, and Shannon Gizecki grin for the camera on a sunny afternoon.



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Pre-Kindergarten celebrates a birthday in the class.



Jason Lyon with his parents have the women of Chamukah with their Presk friends.



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Ms. Young creates a magical story for Pre-K with the help of her newest friend.



*Who are these disguised Pre-K'ers?
(Answer: Andrew Nakayama, Garrett Michaud, and Scott Ehlers)*

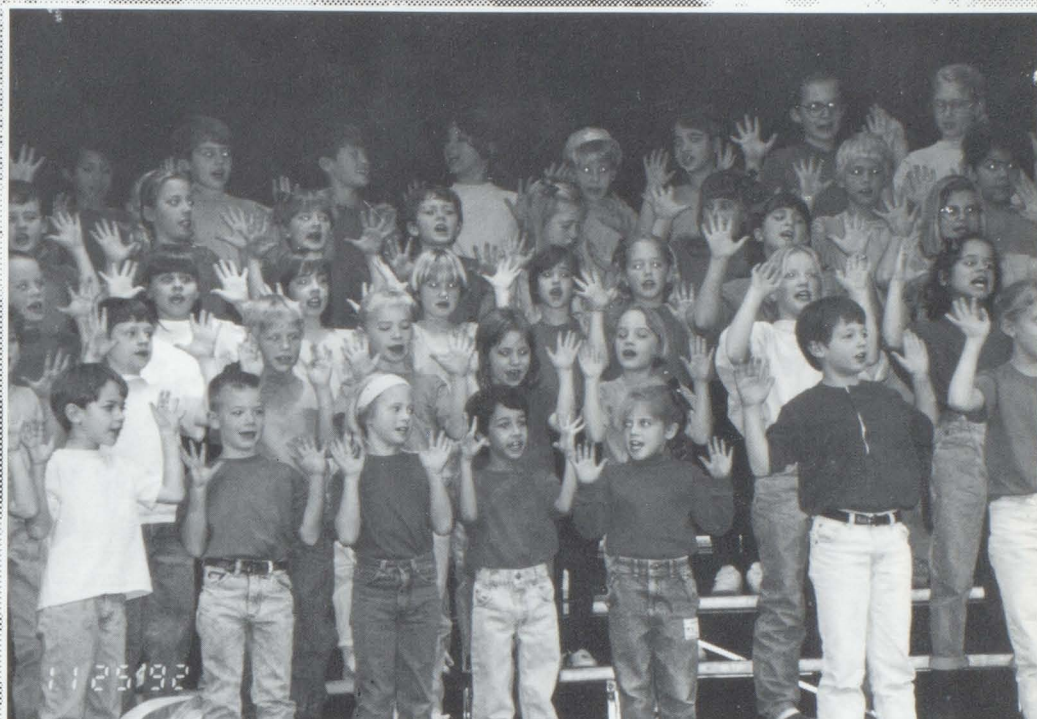


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*Left: Clara, Emily, and Tiffany are eager to begin their Thanksgiving feast.
Above: Eve, Annie, and Natalie enjoy each other's friendship.*

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Left: Second and Third graders
sing to the audience with their songs
about dinosaurs.
Above: Fourth graders in Ms.
Cushman's class share their thoughts
about the wonders of diversity around
the world.



Dwight Donaldson shares a moment with his buddy.



Left: First grader Maria Yausoufian lends a gentle touch to a furry friend. Above: Sisters Christina and Jessica Menke with their favorite pooch.

PET BLESSING CHAPEL

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*Right: Landsey Rue celebrates Pet Blessing with her Mom and pet.
Above: First grader Mary Alice Parks at the Pet Blessing Chapel with her Dad and her dog.*



HOBBY DAY '93



*Above: Second grader Bryan Levi concentrates on his next move during an exciting game of chess.
Right: Deborah Ray demonstrates the art of bellydancing during Hobby Day.*



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At top: Third graders Kristen Evans, Vincent Radcliff, and Annie Candan put their heads together for a final science experiment. Left: These happy faces belong to pocket scientists who have just finished launching their creatively designed Space Flowers.

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Odyssey of the Mind (O.M.) is a program through which students develop creative problem solving and teamwork skills. Three teams represented Annie Wright at the Mt. Rainier Regional Tournament this year.

"Pit Stop" - Ryan Birley, Chris Griffin, Gar Hansen, Jon Paul, Josh Scholtens, Cheney Vidrine, Vince Vidrine.
"Diminshurs" - Andy Benton, Jason Siwayze, Elizabeth Lowery, Stephanie Smith, Laird Bennion.
"Folk Tales" - Kim Anderson, Christina Bennett, Jemma Pereña, Katherine Pima, Erika Ray, Julia Vancil.
 Coaches - Jean Young, Evelyn Tomter, Julia Lehman.



Left: Team members worked in spontaneous problem solving practices. Above: Chris Griffin and Vince Vidrine with their team's "weathering" act.



O.M. students may paint an act on a costume green.



ODYSSEY OF THE MIND

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Above: The Lower School Ski Club on the slopes with their fearless leader, Mrs. King.

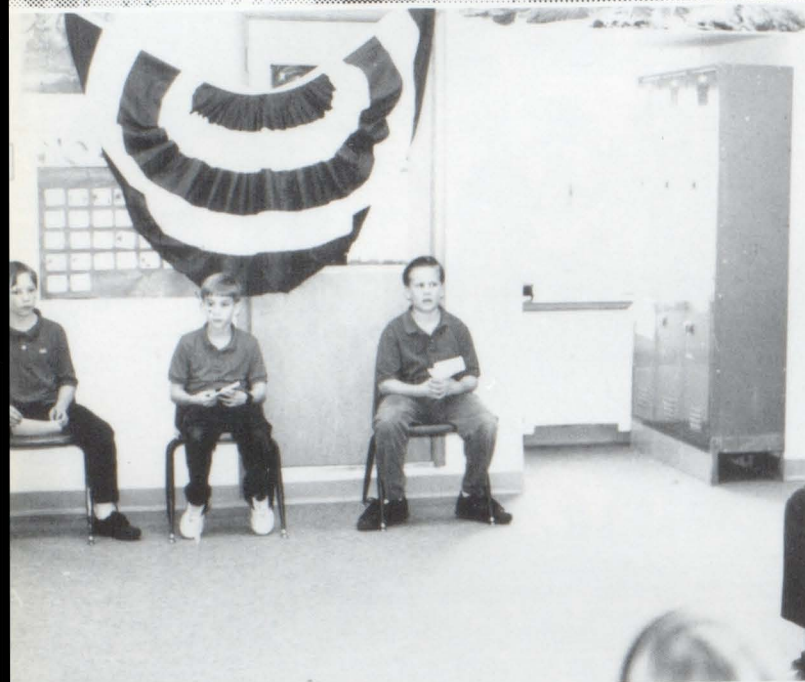


Right: Mrs. Cashman's second grade class shows off their puppets from creative writing.

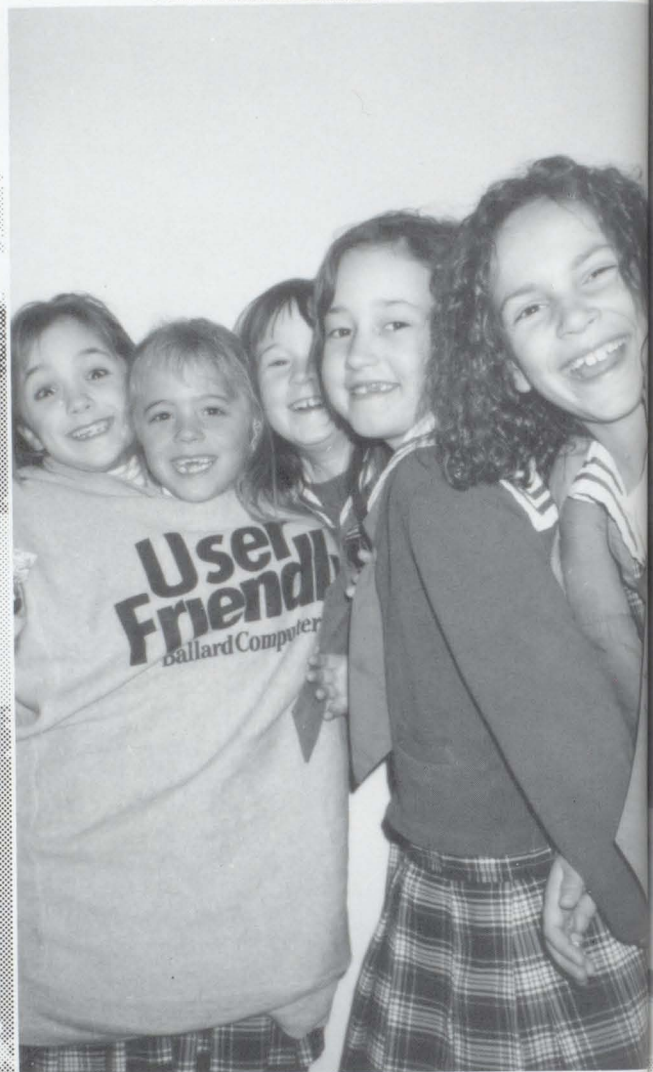
Below: Pre-K students have fun measuring and pouring.



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Left: Fourth graders Andy Benton, Ryan Sebastian and Josh Loefer learn about elections.



Right: First graders Kiera Miller, Lydia Diaconou, Stephanie Debrkoop, Kelsey Owens and Anne Nelson take a break from their busy day.



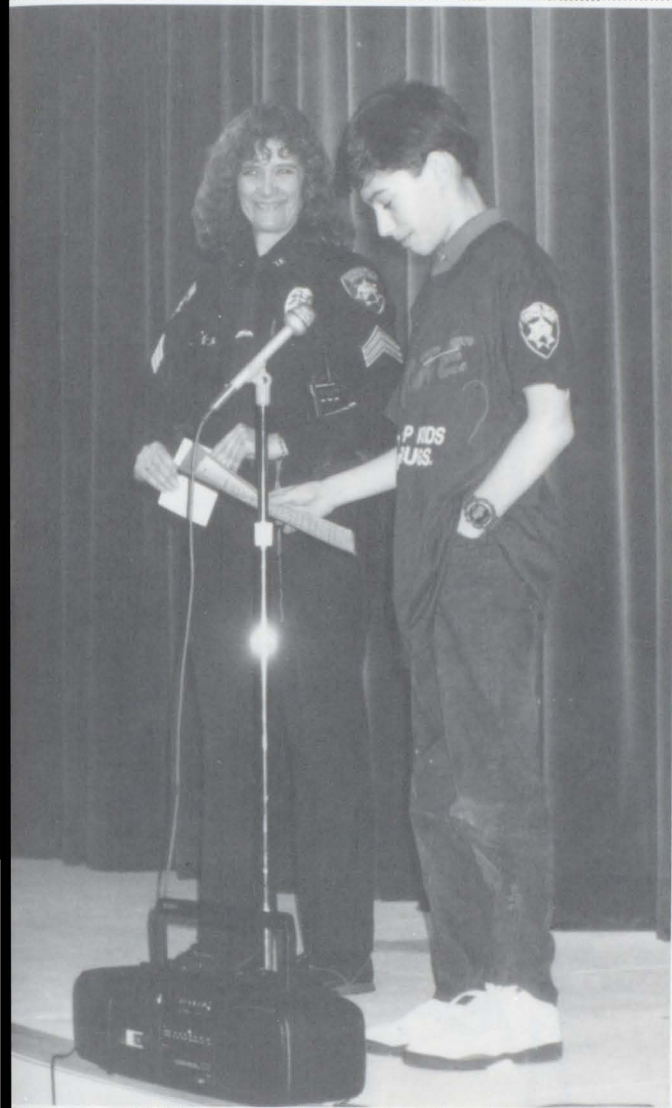
Left: Fifth graders Lindsey Wondery, Alexis Anderson and Ali Mason cheer for the D.A.R.E. program.

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Right: Yo-ho-ho! Second graders wrap up their theme on pirates with a rendezvous celebration.



Left: Linda Ferguson shares her thoughts about the B.A.R.E. program while Sergeant Justice looks on.



Right: Mrs. Stevens and Mrs. Donaldson along with their kindergarten friends created this amazing quilt.

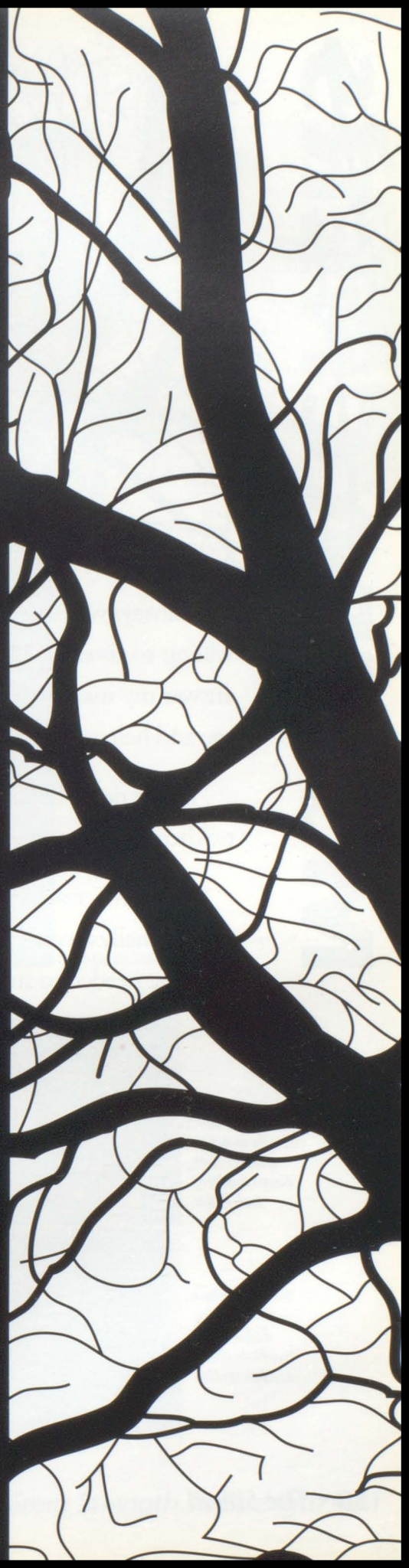


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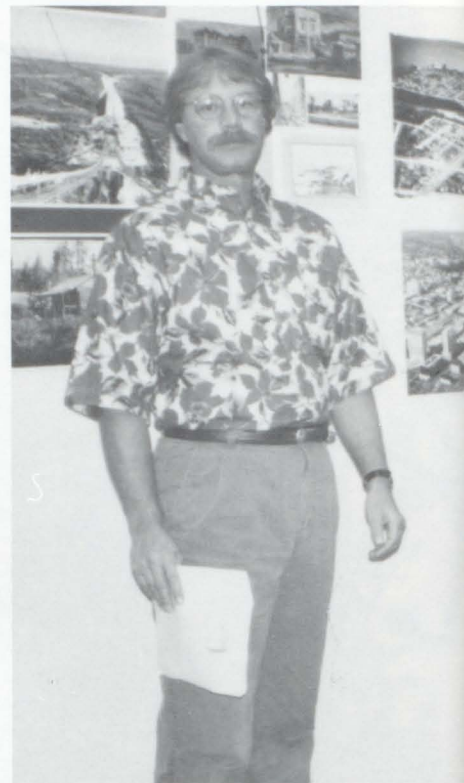


"...always willing to give me a helping hand... always willing to listen to my problems... always willing to answer my many questions... always there to listen to me and help me..."

"I have never before been to a school where all the teachers were great...."

"All of the teachers in Middle School have been exceptionally special. They've all given me the time and help I've needed to succeed."

"All of the teachers are nice and I think that they go out of their way to help new people."

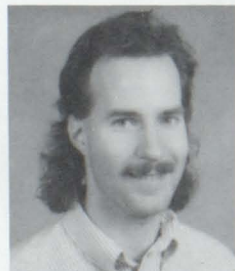


Mr. Mitchell shares his experience with world issues.

Rhondi Adair
Anne Ashby
Christy Burt
Karen Bredberg
Jack Fallat



Scott Hamilton
Kurt Hayden
Erik Haynes
Peter Hayes
Jeanne Hill





Layton, Ottum and Horton having a good time "Doing the Puyallup".



Mrs. Ottum teaches seventh grade Lit. to Joe Carman, Charles Donner, and Eric Beug.



Layton commands the troops at Middle School orientation.



*Beryl Horton
Yukiki Howell
Jill Juelling
Tuney Layton
Jan Lind*



*Max Mitchell
Patty Nielsen
Joy Ottum
Nancy Vancil
Emil Vebovski*

6TH GRADE

***A Year of Change
Organization...
Homework...
Lockers...***

different teachers, notebooks, lockers, homework, lockers, assignment notebooks, lockers...

The first day of school sixth graders were scurrying around the middle school looking for their lockers, trying to get their things organized. Locker shelves needed to be put in and teachers were often called upon to help out.

Sixth graders had more teachers, more homework, and more independence, but somehow they survived it all. Now the sixth grade students are prepared for the rest of their career in the middle school.

Sixth grade was a year of change...Lockers, different classes in different rooms on different floors on different days with



Brian McDonald attempting to give his team more points in the pine cone grabbing game.

*Aaron Adams
Bruce Anderson
Kristen Bennett
Cari Bersbell
Vanessa Borden*



*Tyana Burslie
Andrew Carlon
Emily Coleman
Sophia deGroen
Elena Federova*



*Hannah Gant
Marisa Gant
Joni Hanberg
Laura Headley
Lisa Jensen*





Hannah Gant commenting to Mackenzie Stanley about the deliciously satisfying food at orientation. NOT!



Courtney Thomas and Lauren Kersey having fun in the sun at Middle School orientation..



*Lauren Kersey
Christina Krakow
Hannah Lee
Melanie Malm
Brian McDonald*



*Kacie Meager
Elliot Miller
Kate Monthy
Joy Nix
Jill Nowogroski*



*Kay Okamoto
Quinn Partridge
Megan Radonich
Nathan Scholtens
Chelsee Slemph*



*Mackenzie Stanley
Amanda Thoday
Courtney Thomas
Brett Thompson*

Being right in the middle of the middle school is very special. Seventh grade carries increased responsibilities and obligations.

"We make sure that everyone is happy and make sure that the new students feel welcome. One of our obligations is to win the lottery so we can all go to Disneyland with Ms. Horton."

"Being a seventh grader is a lot better than being a sixth grader. We finally get some respect. We have a lot more homework than last year, but we have more fun."

*Everyone helps everyone
and everyone is a part of
everything.*

-Julie Potter

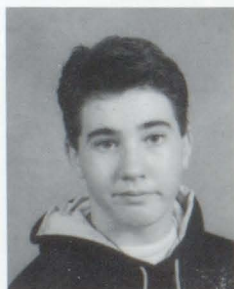


Sam Pascoe had a great time at the Western Washington State Fair.

*Eva Alförd
Patrick Bartolatz-Sawyer
Trisha Benton
Hattie Bethke
Eric Beug*



*Darren Brewster
Joe Carmen
Amy Condon
Rae Dewey
David Donaldson*



*Charles Dörner
Jane Easley
Chris Fuson
Alexis Granoski
Maria Hegstad*





Jane Easley, Marisa Yauch, Chelsea Levy, Jamie Paul and Eric Beug load up their plates during an international breakfast in Social Studies class.



Daniel Olson and Charles Dorner collect data for a science project while Ms. Layton looks on.



*Yanniss Koumantaros
Chelsea Levy*



*Brian McFarland
Grayson Mills
Daniel Olson
Monica Padelford
Sam Pascoe*



*Jaime Paul
Stavros Pirotis
Sarah Plymate
Julie Potter
Jamie Radonich*



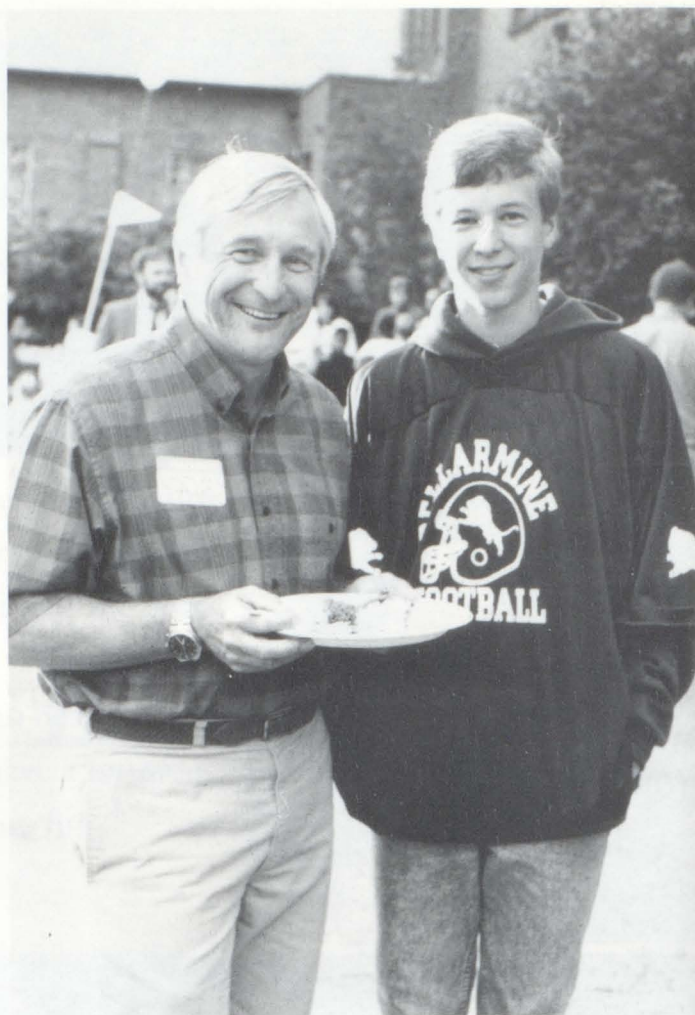
*Jack Stewart
Tae Stocker
Nick Vikstrom
Gillian Wood
Marisa Yauch*

*"At Annie Wright,
Friendships Grow And
Prosper."*

- Dominique Godderis

*I*would definitely say that eighth grade is the best year. There are lots of reasons why I like eighth grade the best. First, we are at the top of the middle school. That's pretty neat because everyone younger than we are looks up to us. Secondly, we get a lot more privileges because we are older and we know the middle school better than the sixth and seventh graders do. And lastly—it's fun! Because by the time you get in eighth grade you are basically friends with everyone.

—Beth Headley

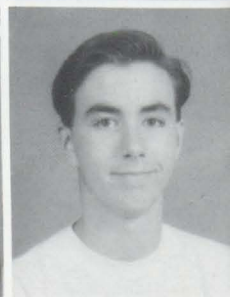


Food, folks, and fun at the back-to-school picnic

*Jamie Anderson
Kari Anderson*



*Alicia Araya
Heather Bamford
Amy Bode
Eunis Choi
Nick Formoso*





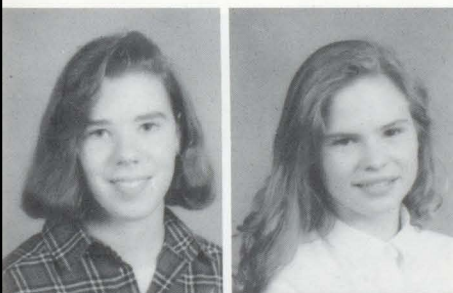
Becky Kirkpatrick and Beth Headley, friends forever, share a quiet moment during their busy day.

"In the past years I have made a numerous amount of best friends."

- Megan Kennebeck



Good morning Camp Coleman!



*Jennifer Fulcher
Dominique Godderis*



*Beth Headley
Stephanie Jones
Anica Kauffman
Evan Kelley
Megan Kennebeck*

*F*inally the big day arrives...graduation! We never thought that we would see the day when our middle school careers would come to an end, just as we never thought that we would get to the middle school. But now our three years are over and we move on to new challenges in the upper school at Annie Wright and other institutions. We never will forget the good times that we had, nor will we forget all of those who helped to make our stay fruitful and enjoyable.

*"It will be hard to say
goodbye to all the friends
that I have made over the
years."*

- Mohana Kumar



Eighth graders getting carried away.

*Becky Kirkpatrick
Danielle Klenak*



*Petros Koumantaros
Mohana Kumar
Dava McCoy
Erik McLeod
Darcy Olsen*





Bracing up for the first day of school.

Nick Formoso having fun at orientation.



*"During my eighth
grade year I had many
ups and downs."*

- Evan Kelley



*Joey Pereña
Amanda Petty*



*Saren Rousseau
Anne Seiwerath
Sandy Spadoni
Sophie Stewart
Patrick Tuohy*

GIRL'S SOCCER



*Front: Chelsea Levy, Sophia deGroen, Anne Seiwerath, Eva Alford, Kay Okamoto, Rae Dewey, Eunis Choi, Stephanie Jones.
Back: Dava McCoy, Saren Rousseau, Sandy Spadoni, Trisha Benton, Hu. tie Bethke, Anica Kauffman.
Coach: Emil Verbowski.*

As the season progressed the girl's soccer team improved. With each practice and game the girls became more confident in their abilities and developed a team spirit. The highlight of the season was a hard fought tie game with a very tough CWA team.



The team rallies around Coach Verbowski as they prepare for a wet and sloppy game.

Dava McCoy shows her ball handling abilities to the opponents.



Above: Goalie "Rainbow Bright" Formoso was a wall against AWS opponents.
Below: Seventh grader Chris Fuson describes the one that got away.
Right: Eighth grader Jamie Anderson shows his fancy footwork to the opposition.

The 1992-1993 boys' soccer team was made up mainly of new people. With four returning team members and eight newcomers, the soccer team was in a year of rebuilding and learning. "It was fun!" Yannis Koumantaros expressed at the end of the season.

After a long and difficult season the team did end the year on a positive note. "Winning the last game was the most important thing that happened this season."



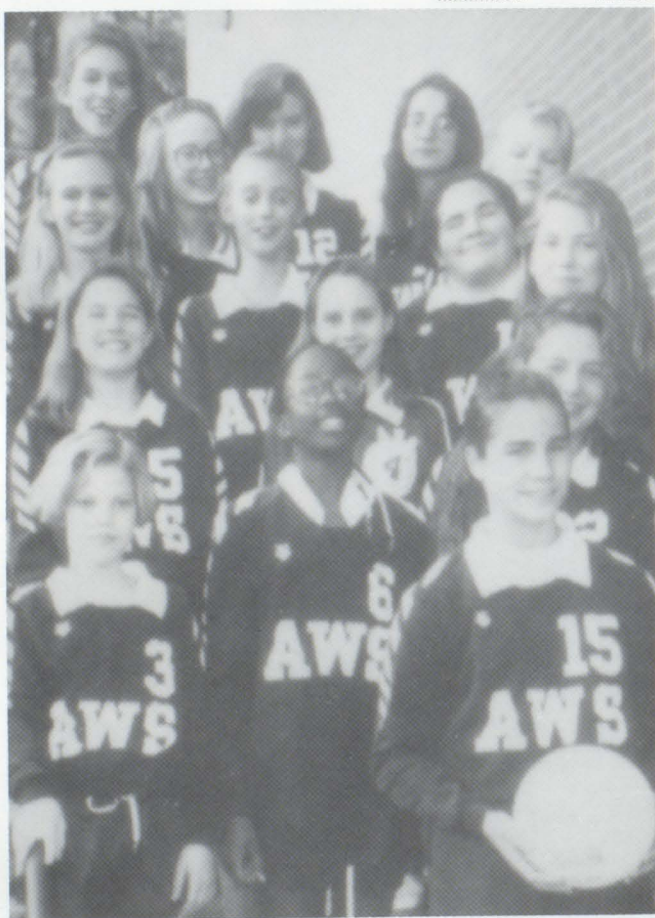
Back Row: Patrick Tuohy, Jamie Radonich, Yannis Koumantaros, Sam Pascoe, Jamie Anderson, Evan Kelley, Nick Formoso.
Center Row: Chris Fuson, Petros Koumantaros, Brett Thompson.
Front Row: Special Guests Kay Okamoto and Saren Rousseau.
Coach: Bernie Unwin

VOLLEYBALL

This season girls volleyball started out differently in more ways than one! One way it changed was with a new coach named Mrs. Patty Nielsen (formerly Ms. Patty Falk!) It was her first year back after four years of coaching cross country for the Annie Wright Middle School. The team also changed with the addition of many new players. (A rebuilding year for sure!)

The team's main goal for the season was to have fun and to learn to play volleyball. For most of us, playing volleyball was a learning experience. Most of the new players came from sixth grade or were new to AWS.

-Beth Headley



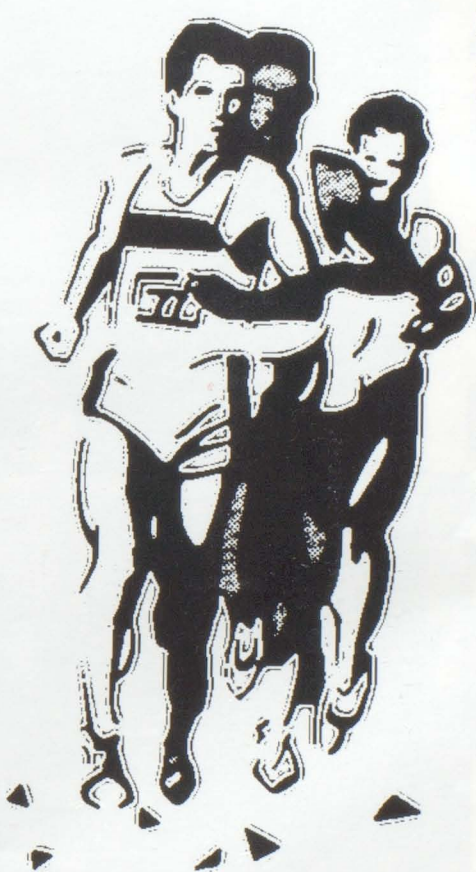
Danielle Klenak, Lauren Kersey, Cari Bershell, Eva Alford, Beth Headley, Marisa Yauch, Jane Easley, Joy Nix, Mealanie Malm, Becky Kirkpatrick, Julie Potter, Amy Bode, Darcy Olsen, Jennifer Fulcher, Amanda Petty, Coach: Patty Nielsen.



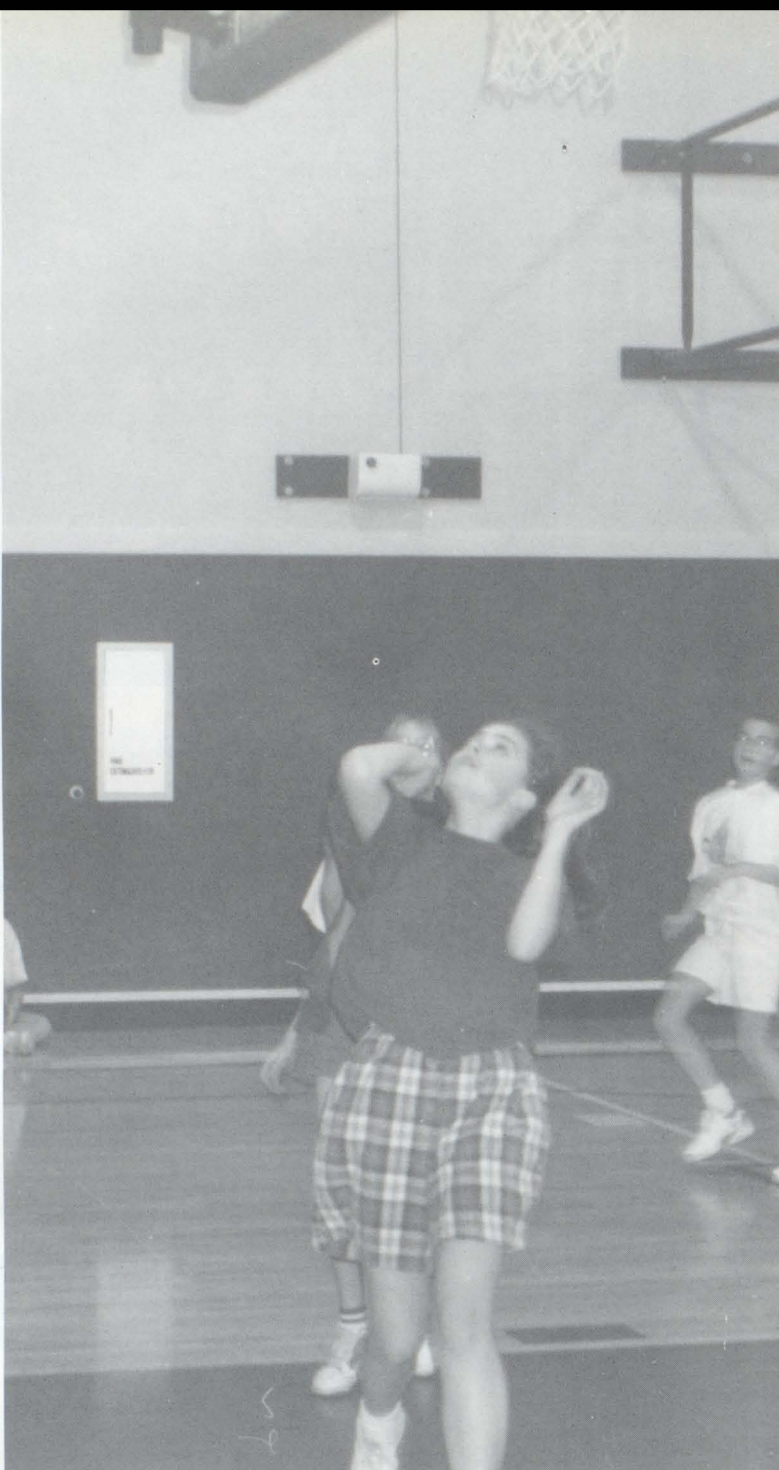
"On your marks, GO!" The gun goes off and thirty runners explode off the line to begin the race. The runners start in a pack, but people quickly spread out with the faster runners leaving the main pack behind. Running as fast as you can, it soon becomes hard to breath, but you must reach the finish line. You soon reach a hill, to you it looks like a mountain. Soon you find yourself running through the woods for what seems like an eternity. You are running as fast as you can overcoming the obstacles such as trees, mud, and sometimes rain. In the distance you can see the finish, some runners are already there. It has been a long, hard race, but soon it will be over and the pain and agony will stop.

-Megan Kennebeck

Back, from left: Coach Jane Robinson, Megan Kennebeck, Joey Pereña, Quinn Partridge, Kate Monthly, Emily Coleman, Courtney Thomas, Lisa Jensen, Tyana Burslie, Jamie Paul, Laura Headley, Megan Radonich, Kacie Meager, Monica Padelford.
Front, from left: Elliot Miller, Joe Carman, Daniel Olson, Nate Scholtens, Eric Beug, David Donaldson, Nick Vikstrom.



GIRL'S BASKETBALL



The 1993 MS girl's basketball team was one of the strongest every for AWS. With many returning students and a lot of enthusiastic younger players, this team was fast, aggressive and smart. Next year should be another great season. Go Gators!

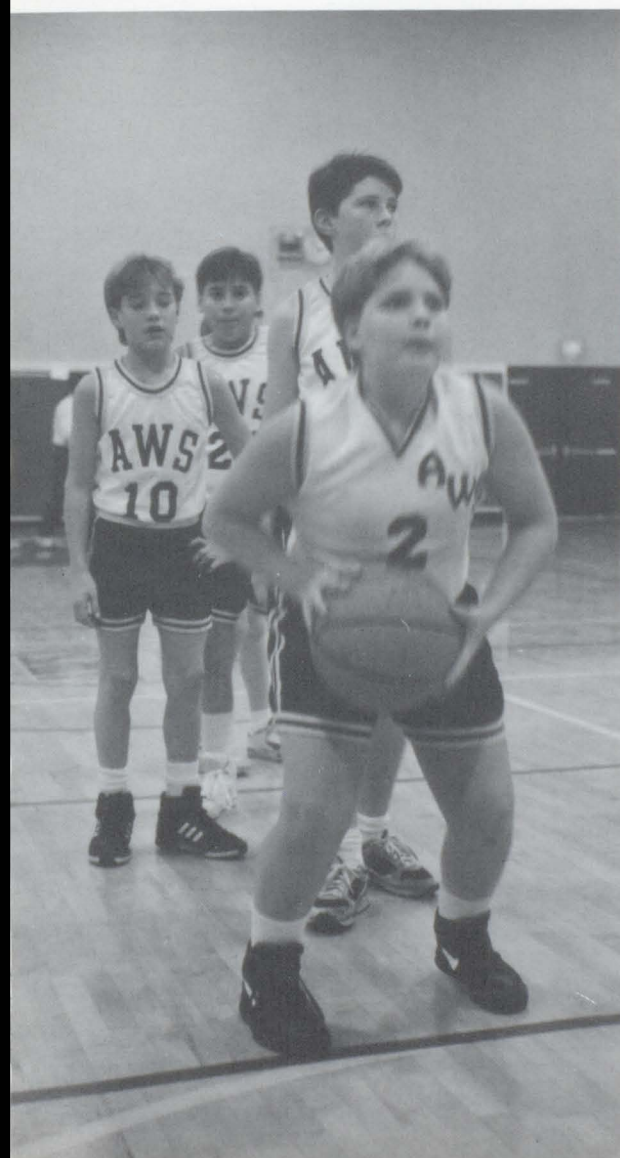
Varsity: Kari Anderson, Tyana Burslie, Jennifer Fulcher, Beth Headley, Laura Headley, Megan Kennebeck, Danielle Klenak, Dava McCoy, Kay Okamoto, Darcy Olsen, Quinn Partridge, Saren Rousseau, Anne Seiwerath, Sandy Spadoni. Junior Varsity: Megan Radonich, Joni Hanberg, Julie Potter, Kate Monthy, Lisa Jensen, Emily Coleman, Lauren Kersey, Melanie Malm, Amy Condon, Sarah Plymate, Amanda Thoday, Kacie Meager, Maria Hegstad.



*Top: Amy Condon follows the ball to the hoop during lay-up drills.
Above: Coach Haynes instructs Melanie Malm and Emily Coleman.
Right: Lauren Kersey rushes to cover her opponent during a practice session.*



Middle School Boy's Basketball team members rest for a moment while they receive advice from Coach Verbowski.



With a lot of tough breaks and close games, the AWS boy's basketball had a successful season finishing with a winning average. The highlight for the season was the come-from-behind victory over Charles Wright Academy. With the aggressive talent displayed at the JV level, AWS has another great year coming in 1994.

Varsity: Evan Kelley, Nick Formoso, Jamie Radonich, Patrick Tuohy, Daniel Olson, Yannis Koumantaros, Grayson Mills, Darrin Brewster. Junior Varsity: Aaron Adams, Bruce Anderson, Eric Beug, Brett Thompson, Joe Carman, Nate Scholtens, Brian McDonald, David Donaldson.





Eighth graders shared thoughts, ideas and news during their relaxing lunch break.



Daniel Olson and Sam Pascoe helped at the Food Connection during the middle school community service activity.

The middle school years are a time of great changes. Many new friendships are formed and others are solidified. Middle school students like to spend their free time sharing new experiences with their friends. The daily life of a middle school student is full. Besides regular classes, students are involved with mini-courses where they might learn a new skill or share with others. Students attend chapel and meet with their advisee groups. Students share laughs over pizza lunches. They play in the small gym. They study after school in the library. The middle school years are a busy time for all students but they are also a very fruitful time.



Eric Beug had a hard time deciding what to eat at an international breakfast.



Above left: Lauren Kersey opening her winnings at the Annual Sixth Grade Cake Walk.

Above right: Nathan Scholtens and Brett Thompson enjoyed their letters from friends at the convalescence home, whom they met during middle school community service mini-course time.

Right: Anica Kauffmann with a new friend she met at the Puyallup Fair.



Sophia deGroen, Hannah Gant, Mackenzie Stanley, and Marisa Gant tried different types of food during the middle school trip to the fair.



Chapel was a time for reflection and learning for middle school students.



Birthdays were a time of great celebration in the middle school.



Nick Formoso prepares Yannis Koumantaros for the pinata which was made by Ms. Ashby's and Mr. Fallat's advisee groups for the Christmas time celebration.



The sixth grade class worked hard with the Zoolights crew to help put away the lights used in the annual Christmas exhibit.



Stephanie Jones takes a break between classes to share a laugh with friends.



Seventh graders Eva Alford and Trisha Benton helped out at the Food Connection and had a great time.



Gillian Wood started off the morning with a jovial conversation with one of her teachers.

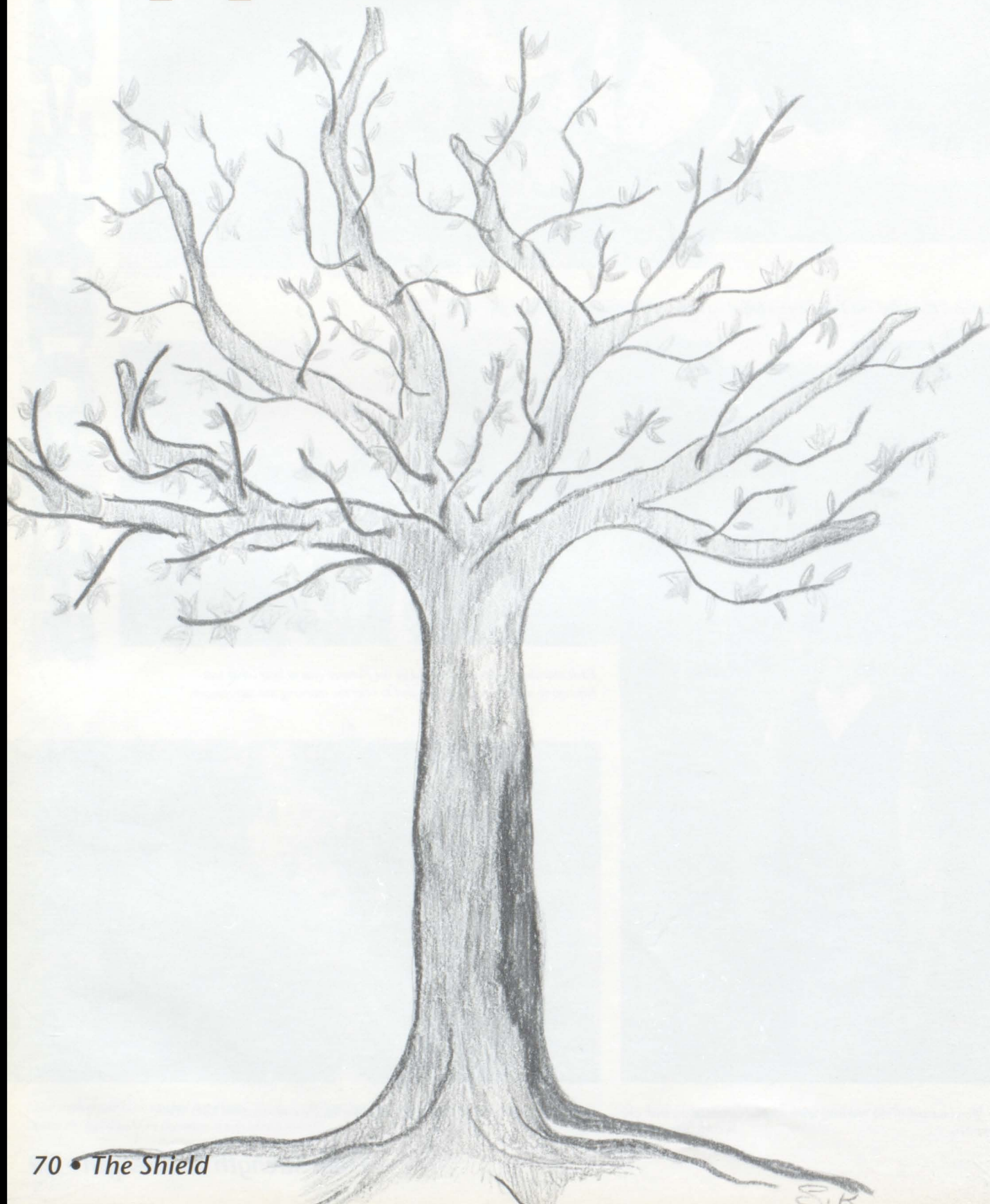


Each morning students assembled in the Kemper gym to hear what was happening with their classmates and to hear the morning announcements.



Sixth grader Kate Monthy collected tickets during the very successful Cake Walk.

Upper School



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BRANCHING OUT

The upper school is represented by the tree in its fullest bloom with leaf-filled branches reaching towards the sky looking for the light. Some of the leaves are ready to fall from the tree and go their own way. But these leaves will not go far from the tree. They will fall in such a way that they will help to continue the growth of the tree.



Above: Heidi Hulsman hurries to her next class prepared with pen and paper.

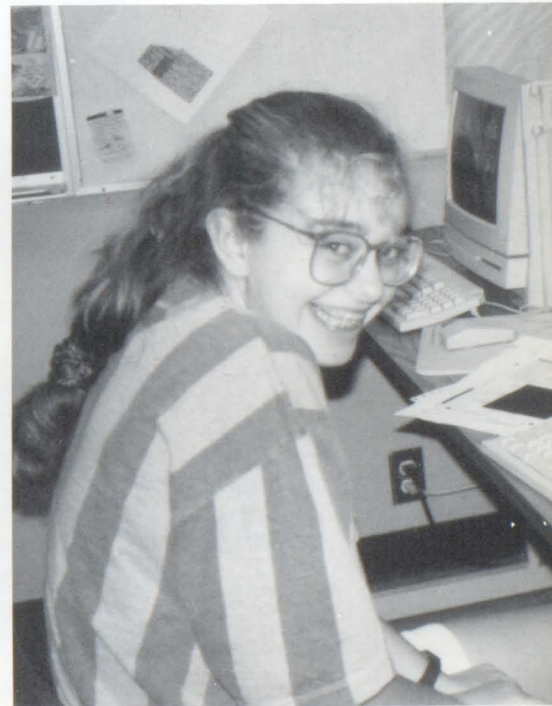


Right: Kate, Dorr, Emily Huigens, and Julie Gesch adjusted to the rigors of their first year in the Upper School with smiles.

GROWING STRONG



*Above: Nicole Burrell and her classmates used the area in front of Raynor Chapel to study and complete homework.
Below: Jaime Colyer worked hard to complete the tenth grade pages for The Shield.*



FACULTY



Mr. Mitani, our exchange teacher from Japan, enjoyed his stay at Annie Wright.



Rhondi Adair



*Susan Bauska
Susan Bennett
Diane Brelsford
Martine Fortuné*



*Amy Hansen
Yukiko Howell
Jill Juelsing
Jan Lassen*

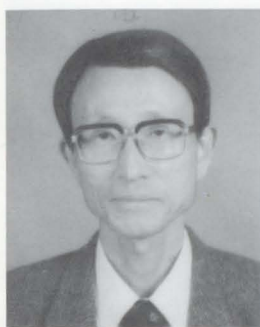




Ms. Fortuné enjoyed toasting in the fireplace on a cold winter day.



Patty Nielsen has one of those days.



*Hiroshi Mitani
Patty Nielsen
Karen O'Neil
Jennifer Rossuck*



*Michael Self
Charlotte Snow
Diane Soucey
Richard Swenson*



*James Timson
Sophie Wadsworth
Noreen Walters
Jo Anne Whitacre*

FRESHMEN

To be a freshman, or not to be a freshman? That is the question! Being a freshman isn't as bad as some people think. Of course they might get a lot of flack from upper classmen, but they really are cool people.

They have great ideas, a fresh new point-of-view, and are always willing to help others. Freshmen took the opportunity when it arose to donate left-over food to the Mission. Their willingness to share with others, and among themselves, is an inspiration to all.



The freshman class is all together now after singing their class song at orientation.

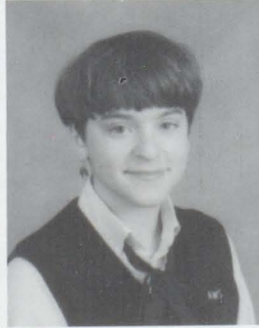
Stephanie Anderson



*Heidi Brooks
Elizabeth Burden
Jennie Burgman
Megan Callaghan*



*Sarah Cannon
Brett Chism
Melanie Clark
Kate Dorr*





*Rodreshia Dunbar
Julie Gesch
Jamie Hill
Alicia Hogue*



*Genevieve Huang
Emily Huigens
Monett Jenkins
Meg Jergens*



*Hillary Kang
Chong JinLee
May Liao
Christina Lockwood*



*Brie McFarland
Branwen Mendel-Gleason
Suzanne Nelson-Pittle
Ericka Russo*



*Jackie Slate
Yun Jung Tae
Mami Tosaka
Ja Dawn Wright*

GO BLUE BERRIES!

SOPHOMORES

The Sophomore class is one of the most culturally diverse classes at Annie Wright. We are proud of our diversity, and believe that our differences help to make us a well-rounded class. The Sophomore class finds strength through our awareness of the world. With so many young women of different backgrounds, it is necessary to accept and understand each of our differences, and what each person can contribute to the class.



Kate Collins takes time out during a very hectic day

*Elizabeth Adams
Meredeth Bennion
Nicole Burrell
Kim Chamberlin*



*Sara Clark
Kate Collins
James Colyer
Alison Gal*



*Shannon Heisler
Maki Hohjo
Ileana Howard
Katia Ivashchenko*



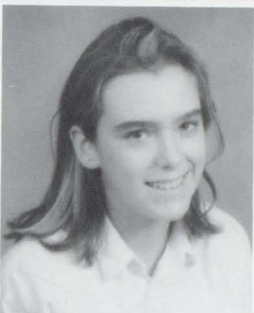
GREEN TIES



*Julia Jarvis
Ann Kim
Jennifer Lovato
Mayumi Matsuno*



*Joanna Nix
Nanthinee Noranitipadungkarn
Molly Nostrand
Sara Olson*



*Amy Paulose
Ana Ramallo-Alcover
Marcy Rios
Liddia Schwartz*



*Olga Semenova-Tyan-Shanskaya
Utako Shirato
Christine Smith
Taya Stratton*



*Mary Swenson
Rylie Teeter
Claire Vitikainen
Staria Williams*

The future leaders of Annie Wright pose for a class picture

When asked if she was stressed out by Finals and SATs, Stephanie Stewart only smiled!



RED TIES



*Shelbie Armstrong
Rachel Carey-Fuson
June Chung
Leslie Curran*



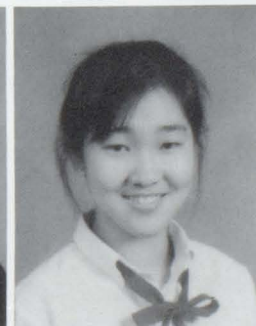
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Michelle Gallaher*



*Mary Goble
Cynthia Hoof
Joannn Jarvis
Lisa Kim*



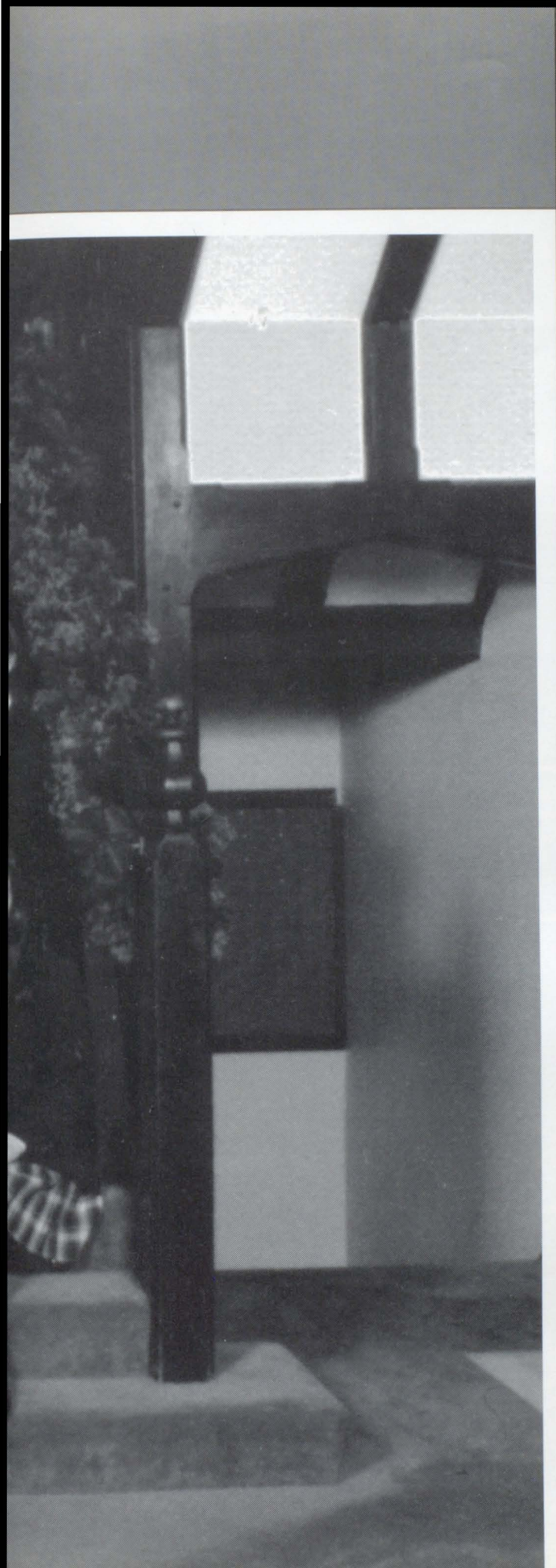
*Simone Paar
Stephanie Stewart
Berkley Swan
Tanya Vlasak*



*Jennifer Wolfstone
Janice Wong
Aki Yanagisawa*

Seniors





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Elizabeth Vogel Broadhead



Joo-Yeon Chung



*Thank you,
Mom and Dad!*

*I love you
so much.*



Alissa Lynn Diehl



*Into the future,
That unknown land,
Fearless, then venture,
Holding God's hand;
Trusting His promise
Waiting His will,
Kept by His power,
Peaceful and still.*

- Anon. -



Mona Dunbar



*- Once you believe in yourself, others will believe in you.
Educate - Tell your story.*

Heidi Ann Hulsman



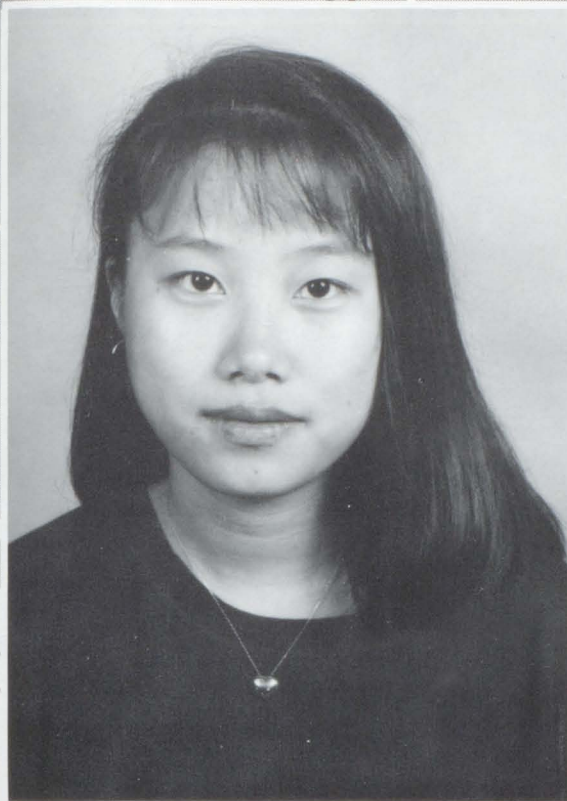
*When I was a child I caught a fleeting glimpse
Out of the corner of my eye
I turned to look but it was gone; I cannot put my finger on it now
The child has grown
The dream is gone
I have become
Comfortably numb
- Pink Floyd -*

Emily Rae Hutchinson



*Whoever you are,
no matter how
lonely, the world
offers itself to your
imagination, calls
to you like the wild
geese, harsh and
exciting - over and
over announcing
your place in the
family of things.
- Mary Oliver -*

Soo Ryun Hwang



"To love is better than to be loved"

Thank you Mom, Dad, Soo K., Sung Young and my friends who support me to be strong.



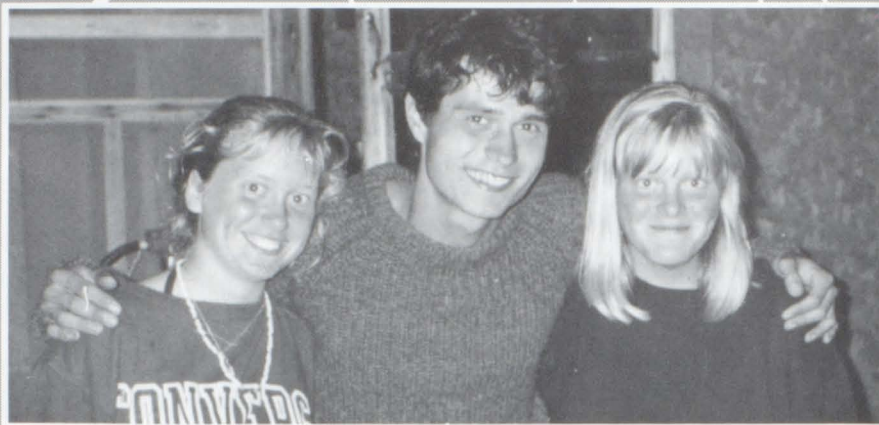
Yukiko Ito



"Thank you", make such an encounter to be able to say to all people from your heart.

- Saint Rosary -

Sarah Austin Kaiser



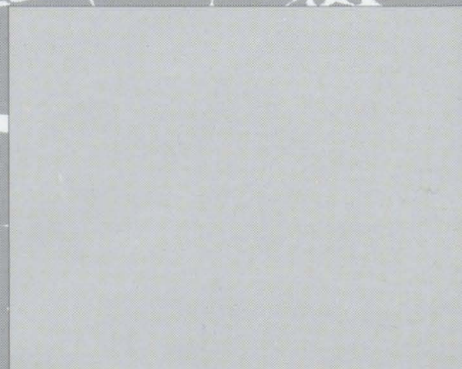
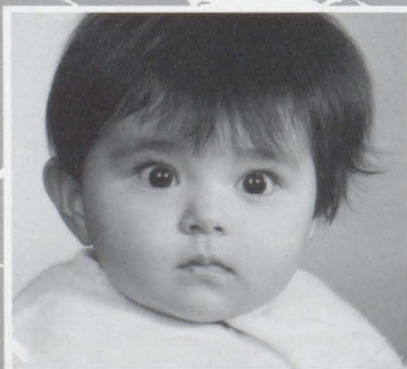
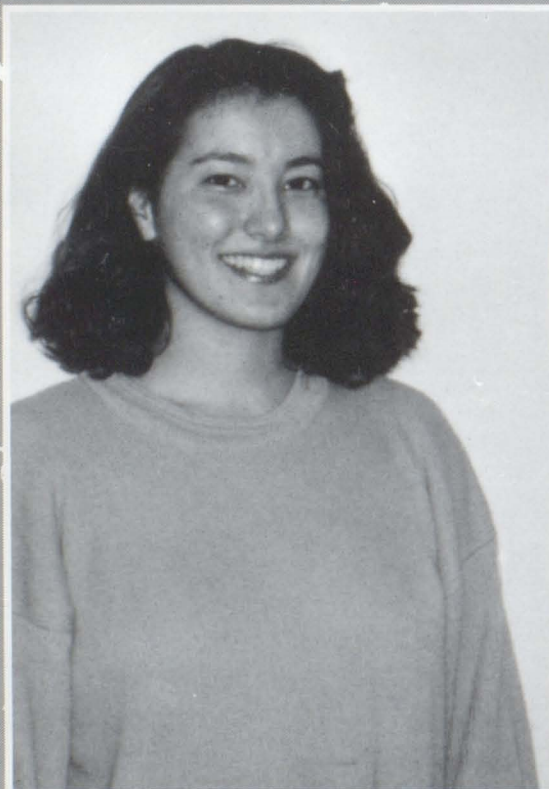
*Wherever you are it is your own
friends who make your world.*

- Ralph Barton Perry-

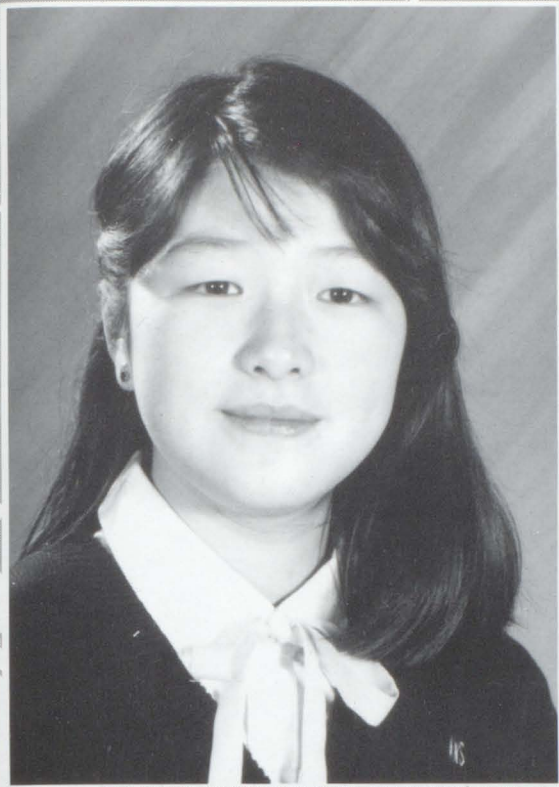
*The reality of any place, is what
people remember about it.*

- Anon. -

Sara Kawamura



RiAe Kim



Etsuko Koide



- Mom, Dad and teachers,
thank you very much for
everything.
- Mrs. Hansen, you are the
most wonderful teacher I
ever met. Thank you. I will
miss you.
- Mayumi! Good luck for
the rest of your life in here.

Shawna Krantz



*I know that God tears down the
old world every evening and builds a
new one by sun-up.*

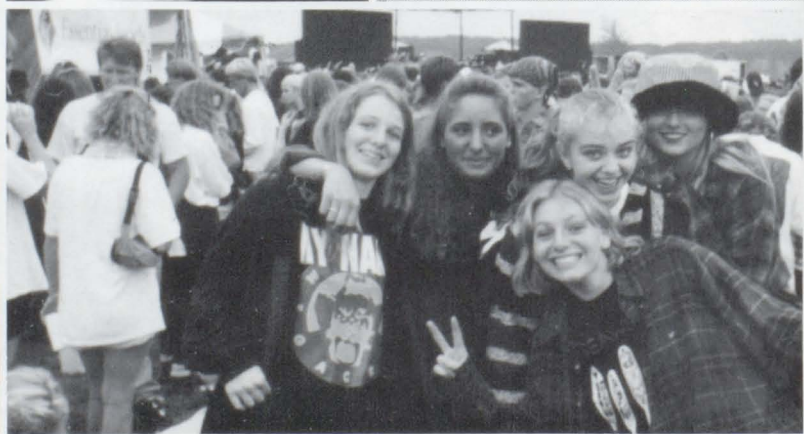
- Zora Neale Hurston -

Louisa Manson



*Cherish your visions; cherish
your ideals; cherish the music that
stirs in your heart, the beauty that
forms in your mind, the loveliness
that drapes your purest thoughts,
for...if you remain true to them,
your world will at last be built.*

- J. Allen -



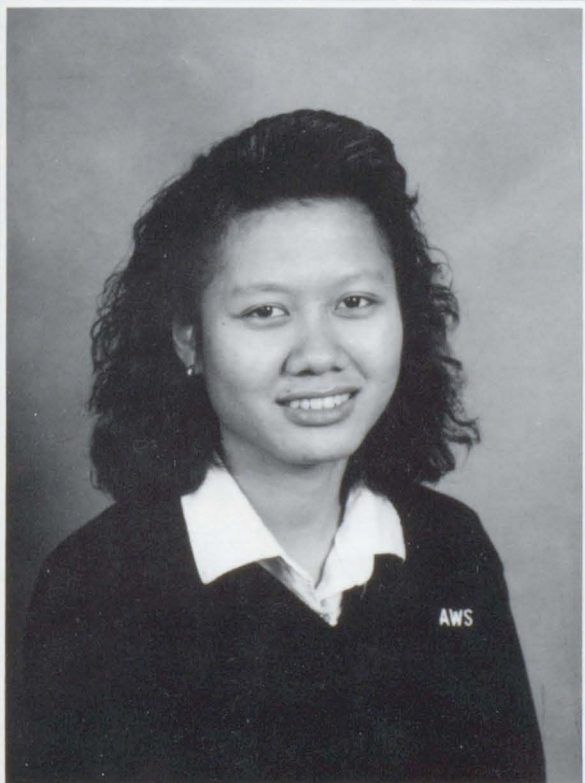
Rebecca Nevissi



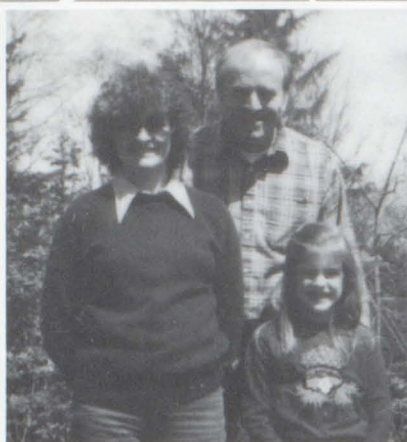
You can do anything you want, if you put your mind to it.

- Ahmad Nevissi -

Chuenie Noranitipadungkarn



Nicole Jacqueline Perreault

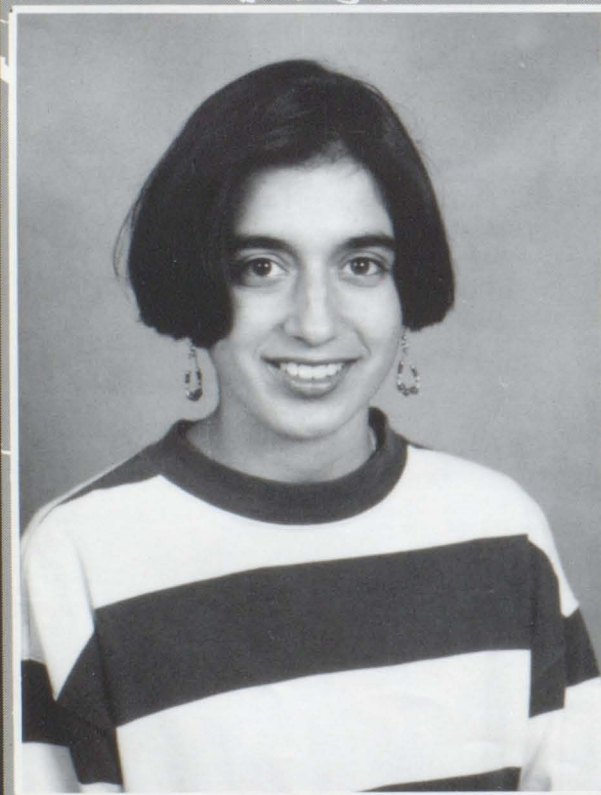


To Mommy and Papa:

It's amazing what life brings us. I've never had a stable home because we move around so much, but I don't regret it in the least. This is my last year and once again....I'm moving on. I want to thank both of you for giving me such a unique life filled with different opportunities.

Let's continue the adventure. I love you!

Olivia Peters



Thank you so much for everything:

Mom, Dad and Grandma - Lara and Mrs. Hansen

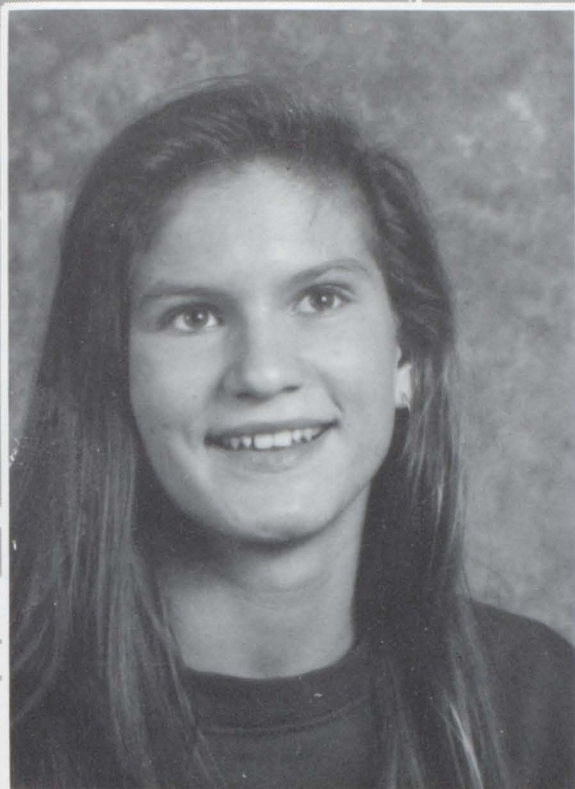
*To Mayu (Mayu Pon),
You are a special friend.
Take care and let's always keep
our friendship alive!*

*"Nozomi wo sutezuni
imasho ne" (Let's not throw
away our hope)*

- Natsuo Giniro -



Gina Pietras



"Live long and prosper - Be excellent to each other - and remember, the force is with you always."

- From Star Trek, Bill & Ted, Star Wars

Angela Reese



Dear Mom, although we have come through a lot of hardships, we have come a long way. I appreciate everything you have given me, even though it has been more than I have asked for. I hope our relationship continues growing stronger. It is great having a best friend and a mother in one. I love you.

Peter & Rasmus, Tak fordi I gav mig muligheden for at opleve en ny kultur. Kaerligst Angela.

Tobias, Jag vet att avståndet mellan oss inte underlättar något, men vad vi än vill jag att du ska veta att jag alltid kommer att finnas här för dig. Jag Älskar Dig!

Anita Sangha



"Aim for success not perfection."

Never give up your right to be wrong, because then you will lose the ability to learn new things and move forward with your life.

Remember that fear always lurks behind perfectionism. Confronting your fears and allowing yourself the right to be human can paradoxically make you a far happier and more productive person."

This is what my mother taught me about success. It has helped us through our worst times. Together we succeed with great strength which only a mother and daughter can achieve.

*Thank you, Mother,
Friends forever.*



Pintipa Vadhanasiripong



Thank you Papa and Mama and J.J. and Pie. Rice Krispies. I love you all!



SENIOR POLL

Beth	Most likely to become Miss America
Jinny	Most likely to be ready with a hug
Alissa	Most likely to sing Spanish songs while healing the poor and chauffeuring
Mona	Most likely to run a dating service
Heidi	Most likely to be seen at Temple of the Bean with rainbow-colored hair
Emily	Most likely to be running to the bathroom
Soo	Most likely to be a ruthless business woman
Yuki	Most likely to buy the Diet Coke company
Sarah	Most likely to be telling canoe stories from Canada to no-one
Sara	Most likely to be a rice-eating mathematician
RiAe	Most likely to draw for Disney
Etsuko	Most likely to be the next Oprah Winfrey
Shawna	Most likely to be the first female president
Louisa	Most likely to be defending England while wearing her Doc Martins
Becky	Most likely to be taking the bus everywhere
Chuenie	Most likely to be a wild party animal
Nicole	Most likely to visit every place in the world for fun
Olivia	Most likely to be in a famous Japanese punk band
Gina	Most likely to win the gold for swimming in the 1996 Olympics
Angela	Most likely to live where she can get the best tan
Anita	Most likely to open her own line of cosmetics
Pintipa	Most likely to become a lion tamer

CLASS OF '93!



Graduating Class of 1993

<i>Name</i>	<i>Country of Origin</i>	<i>Years at AWS</i>
<i>Elizabeth Broadhead</i>	<i>USA</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>Jinny Chung</i>	<i>Korea</i>	<i>2</i>
<i>Alissa Diehl</i>	<i>USA</i>	<i>2</i>
<i>Ramona Dunbar</i>	<i>USA</i>	<i>2</i>
<i>Heidi Hulsman</i>	<i>USA</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>Emily Hutchinson</i>	<i>USA</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>Soo Hwang</i>	<i>Korea</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>Yukiko Ito</i>	<i>Japan</i>	<i>2 1/3</i>
<i>Sarah Kaiser</i>	<i>USA</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>Sara Kawamura</i>	<i>Japan</i>	<i>2</i>
<i>RiAe Kim</i>	<i>Korea</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>Etsuko Koide</i>	<i>Japan</i>	<i>3 1/3</i>
<i>Shawna Krantz</i>	<i>USA</i>	<i>10</i>
<i>Louisa Manson</i>	<i>USA</i>	<i>2</i>
<i>Rebecca Nevissi</i>	<i>USA</i>	<i>13</i>
<i>Chuenrudee Noranitipadungkarn</i>		
	<i>Thailand</i>	<i>4</i>
<i>Nicole Perreault</i>	<i>USA</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>Olivia Peters</i>	<i>Japan</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>Gina Pietras</i>	<i>USA</i>	<i>5</i>
<i>Angela Reese</i>	<i>USA</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>Anita Sangha</i>	<i>India/Canada</i>	<i>2</i>
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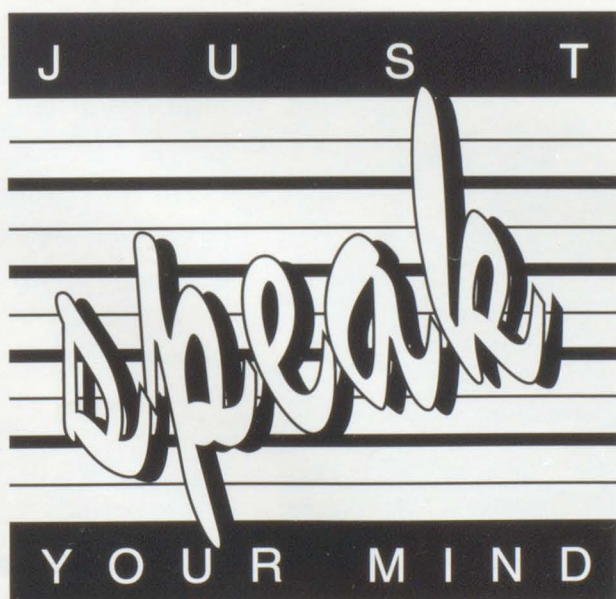






Ethnic Unity

This organization supports and promotes ethnic diversity as well as awareness of people's values, ideals, and diversity; appreciation and respect for diverse feelings and cultures; and the choice of expression of any of the above.



Ethnic Unity Members:

Jaime Colyer, Liz Burden, Branwen Mendel-Gleason, Heidi Brooks, Liddia Schwartz, Amy Palouse, Lisa Kim, Mary Goble, Jamie Hill, Yun Tae, Reisha Dunbar, Monett' Jenkins, Sarah Dillon, Ja Dawn Wright, Sara Olson, Alicia Hogue, Mona Dunbar (President), Meredith Bennion, Star Williams, Darcey Duthie, Mary Swenson.

MASQUE PLAYERS

The drama club which puts on activities like Mystery Week-ends. It also seems that they have developed the tradition of selling relaxation tapes.



Masque Players:

Heidi Brooks, Marcy Rios, Claire Vitikainen, Sarah Kaiser, Erica Duecy, Sara Clark, Branwen Mendel-Gleason, Ileana Howard, Alison Gal, Kim Chamberlain (President), Betsy Adams, Cynthia Hoof.

RAYNOR GUILD

This service group helps with the care and maintenance of Raynor Chapel, as well as providing acolytes and readers for chapel services.



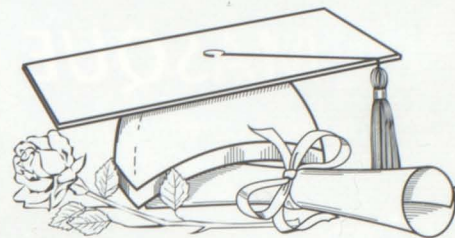
Raynor Guild:

Christine Smith, Kate Collins, Sara Olson, Jaime Colyer, Meredith Bennion, Tanya Vlasak (Vice-President), Chris Lockwood (Secretary-Treasurer), Beth Broadhead (President)

CLUBS & ACTIVITIES

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

An honorary club whose members have demonstrated strong scholarship, citizenship, leadership and service. NHS members also provide tutorial services.



NHS Members:

Rachel Carey-Fuson,
Jaime Colyer,
Sarah Kaiser,
Sara Olson,
Meredith Bennion,
Alissa Diehl,
Tanya Vlasak,
Yuki Ito.

INTERNATIONAL CLUB

This group represents the different nationalities and cultures at AWS. International Week was sponsored by this hard-working group of students.

what's the
difference



International Club Members:

Olivia Peters, Etsuko Koide,
Chuenrudee Noranitipadungkarn,
Nanthinee Noranitipadungkarn, Maki
Hohjo, Mami Tosaka, Utako Shirato,
Mayumi Matsuno, Genevieve Huang,
Erica Duecy, Shawna Krantz, Ileana
Howard, Katia Ivashchenko, Ann Kim,
Lisa Kim, Kate Collins, Betsy Adams,
RiAe Kim, Jinny Chung, Pintipa
Vadhanasiripong, Janice Wong, June
Chung, Aki Yanagisawa
Adviser: Yukiko Howell

STUDENT COUNCIL

The Vice-President from each class as well as the elected ASB Secretary/Treasurer, Vice-President, and President preside over issues concerning the student body.

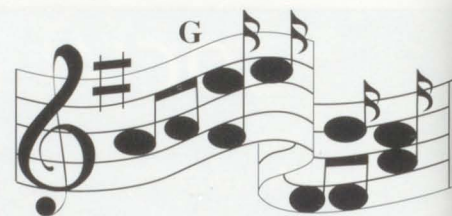


Student Council Members:

Soo Hwang,
Gina Pietras (Vice-President),
Shawna Krantz (President),
Shelbie Armstrong,
Janice Wong (Secretary/
Treasurer),
Kate Collins,
Kate Dorr,
Stephanie Stewart.

VOCAL ENSEMBLE

Annie Wright School's mini-choir performed at concerts and functions. This year the Vocal Ensemble played an active part in the fall trimester play.



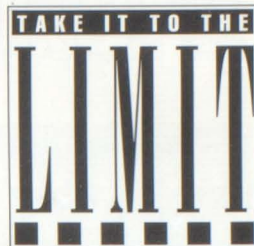
Vocal Ensemble Members:

Claire Vitikainen,
Heidi Hulsman,
Michele Gallaher,
Kim Chamberlain,
Alissa Diehl,
Shelbie Armstrong.
Not pictured: Shawna Krantz

CLUBS & ACTIVITIES

TASC

The Tacoma Area Service Club attends to community service both in and out of the school. Supported projects include Nativity House, Three Cedars and the Lutheran Home.



TASC Members:

Sara Olson, Jaime Colyer, Tanya Vlasak, Chris Lockwood, Sarah Kaiser (President), Beth Broadhead, Kate Collins, Kate Dorr, Rylie Teeter (Vice-President), Jennifer Lovato (Secretary/Treasurer), Leslie Curran.

Knowledge Bowl

This club competed each week against other schools to test their general knowledge.



Knowledge Bowl Members:

Louisa Manson, Jaime Colyer, Sarah Kaiser, Emily Hutchinson, Ileana Howard, Gina Pietras, Sara Olson, Julia Jarvis, Betsy Adams, Beth Broadhead.

JUNIOR VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

This year, the JV volleyball team did very well. Starting from camp, the team made it's way to becoming one of the best teams in the history of Annie Wright. We won all games, except one this year. Pretty good, huh?

Team-members were Jaime Colyer and Sara Olson (co-captains), Kate Dorr, JaDawn Wright, Emily Huigens, Yun Tae, Reshia Dunbar, Shannon Heisler, RiAe Kim, Heidi Hulsman, Rylie Teeter, Alissa Diehl, and Liz Burden. Rhondi Adair coached us during the season.



SCOREBOARD

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7 LOSSES



Before each match the JV team gave a rousing cheer to help raise team spirit.



The team just before winning the serve and going on to fifteen points and another win!

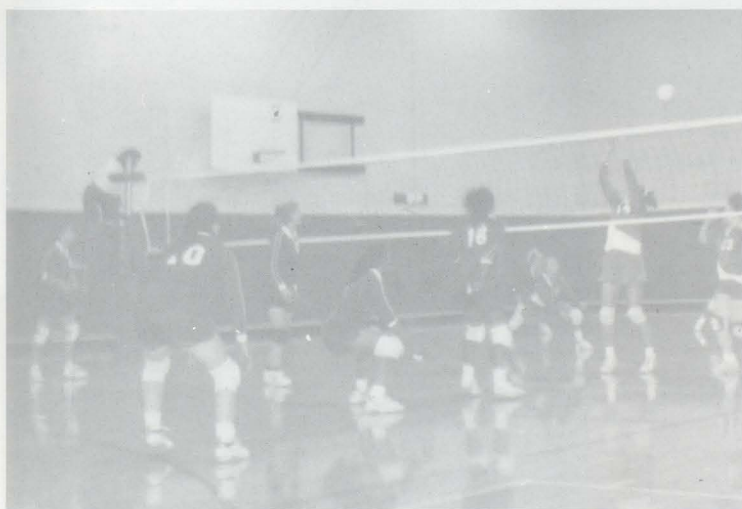
VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

The varsity team had a good season this year, just missing qualifying for the districts. The team was almost all seniors, who will be missed next year! However, there are excellent underclassmen who will remain in the varsity team, and hopefully lead AWS to state next year!

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Left: Varsity in action!

Right: The two co-captains smile after a grueling game which varsity won.



CROSS COUNTRY



Back, from left: Coach Susan Bennett, Ileana Howard, Betsy Adams, Coach Tuney Layton, Joann Jarvis, Katia Ivashchenko (P).

Middle: May Liao (spectator), Maki Hojo (P), Hillary Kang, Emily Hutchinson, Darcy Duthie, Jackie Slate.

Front: Etsuko Koide, Olivia Peters (P), Soo Hwang, Heather Nighswander (P), Ann Kim, Coach Karen O'Neil.

(P) indicates participant, others are team members.



Above: Coach Tuney Layton watches while her team loosens up.

Right: Betsy Adams laces up for the big race.



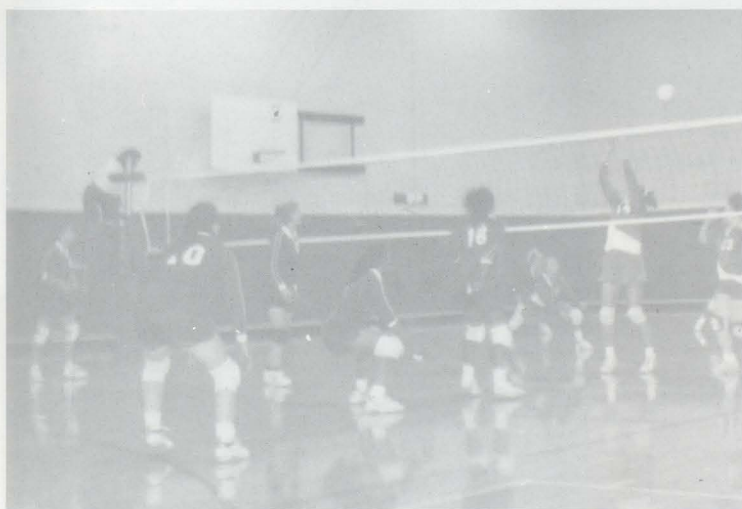
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Manager: Staria Williams. Stats: Mary Goble, Alison Gal, Reshea Dunbar, Erik Haynes.

Coaches: Rhondi Adair and Jan Buennagel.



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Crew '93 enjoyed a great year! Led by a strong group of returning rowers and an enthusiastic group of newcomers, the team got off to a fast start. Excellence was seen everywhere. With all of the new talent, the future looks great for the AWS Crew!

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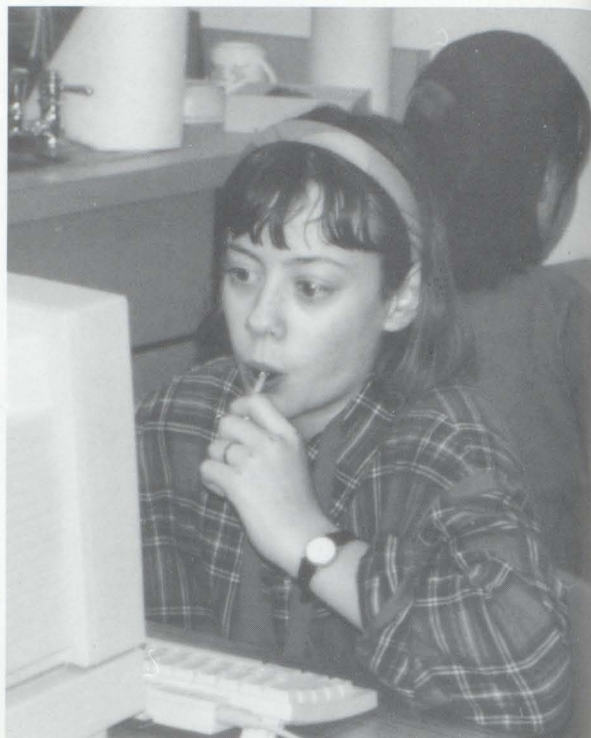


CLASS TIME

Obviously, a large proportion of students' time is spent in the classroom. Students enjoy a variety of classes, from pottery to Shakespeare to geography. Students are given homework each night to work on alone, in groups or on the computer. All in all, they enjoy a challenging assortment of work to prepare themselves for the time ahead.



Ann Kim and Angela Reese study math while Simone Paar takes a break.



Elizabeth Burden forgets the rule of not eating in the computer room while lost in her homework.

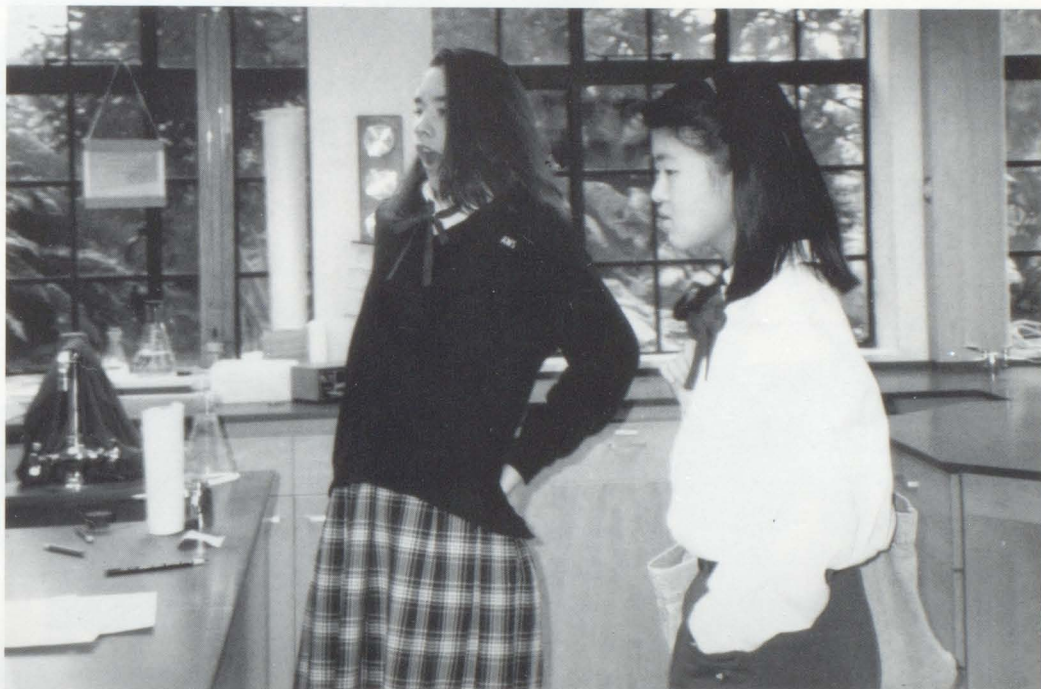
Shelbie Armstrong shows off a mask she created in pottery while lost in her homework.





Jin Lee works hard during study hall.

Marcie Rios and Ann Kim are full of excitement in chemistry class.



Claire Vitikainen is surprised by the camera as she prepares for class.

UNITY

Even though our tree has many different, individual branches, everyone is united by the one thing we all have in common, Annie Wright. The school can be described as the trunk of our tree, uniting people of all ages and all countries and backgrounds. Here at AWS one has the opportunity to find someone totally different from oneself on the outside, yet someone who has the same hopes, fears and ideas. Annie Wright teaches girls to not only look on the surface of a person, but to go further and discover what that person is really all about.



Above: Ana Ramallo-Alcover, exchange student from Spain, and Simone Paar, from Germany, come together in Jennifer Rossuck's English class.



Right: Jamie Hill, Sophie Wadsworth, Meredith Bennion and Chris Lockwood are united in their love of Starbucks' coffee.



After an exhausting volleyball game, Yun Tae pigs out on a peanut butter and jelly sandwich to satisfy her hunger!

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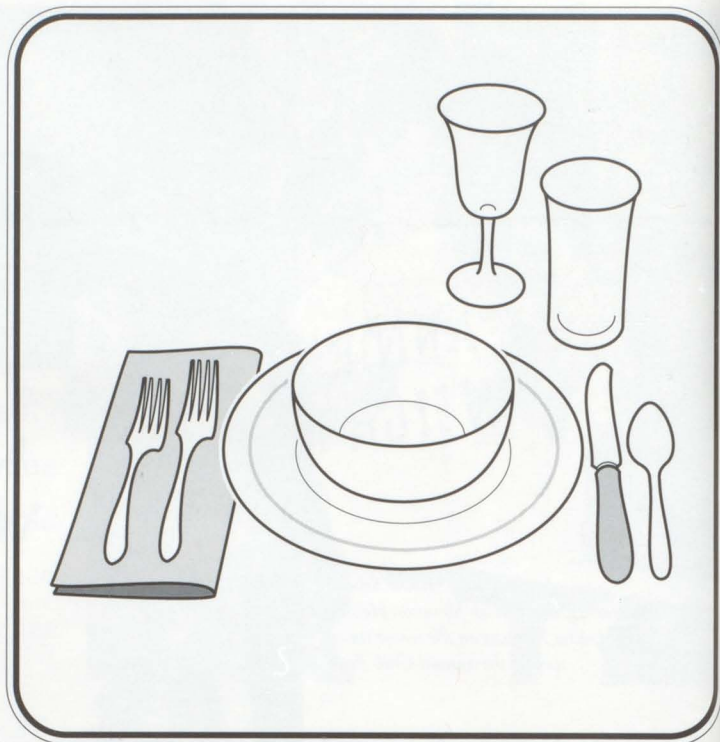
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Christine Smith and Molly Nostrand take time out of another busy day for a quick meal in the dining hall.

FOOD!

Eating is a very important to everyone. At Annie Wright, we are lucky to be able to have a variety of experiences with food. As well as regular school meals, boarders have the opportunity to have dinner with their dorm advisors. Pizza, spaghetti and Thai food are all popular. We also can experience foods of other countries through the intermingling of the many cultures throughout the school.



Michelle Gallaber bites into a delicious meal served in the Annie Wright dining hall.





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FRIENDSHIP

At Annie Wright, friendship is a very strong bond. Because so many of us live with each other, it's hard not to become friends with the other students. These pictures reflect the familiar, friendly atmosphere around school.



Alicia Hogue, Meg Jergens and Branwen Mendel-Gleason act up in the French room.



Erica Duecy inspects Kate Collins' new jewelry while Shelby Armstrong looks on.

"Friends do not live in harmony merely, as some say, but melody."

- Henry David Thoreau

At A.W.S. friendship is not limited to grade level. Here, a freshman may have a junior friend, a sophomore may have a senior friend. Nor is friendship restricted to the student body. Over the year many student-teacher relationships have developed. This makes Annie Wright unique among other schools.



Emily and Darcy: Ready for Cross Country.



Maki attempts to "strangle" one of her closest friends, Utako, in the math room.



The student lounge is where friends often meet to watch TV, discuss current issues, listen to music, or just relax.

Staff & Administ





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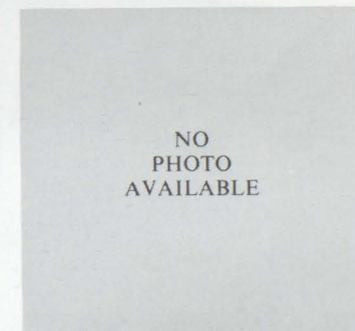
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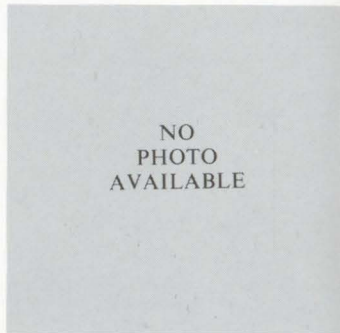
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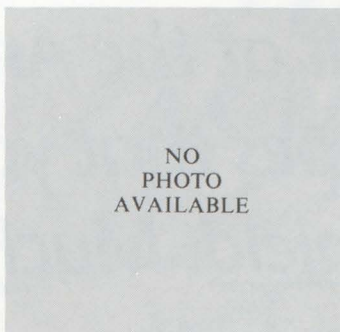


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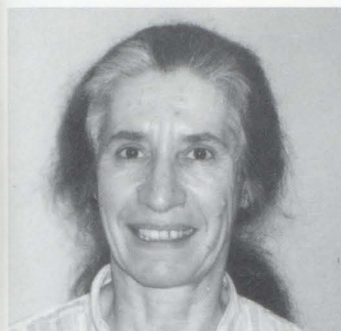
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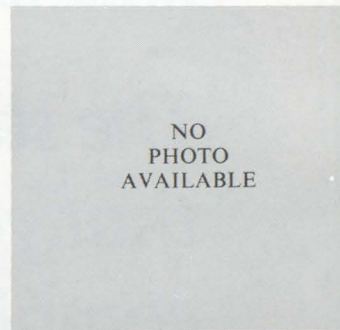
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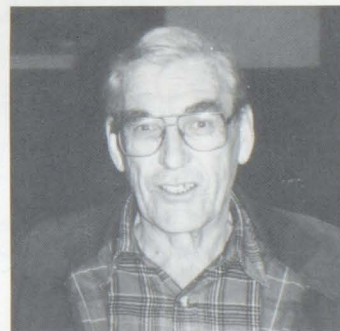
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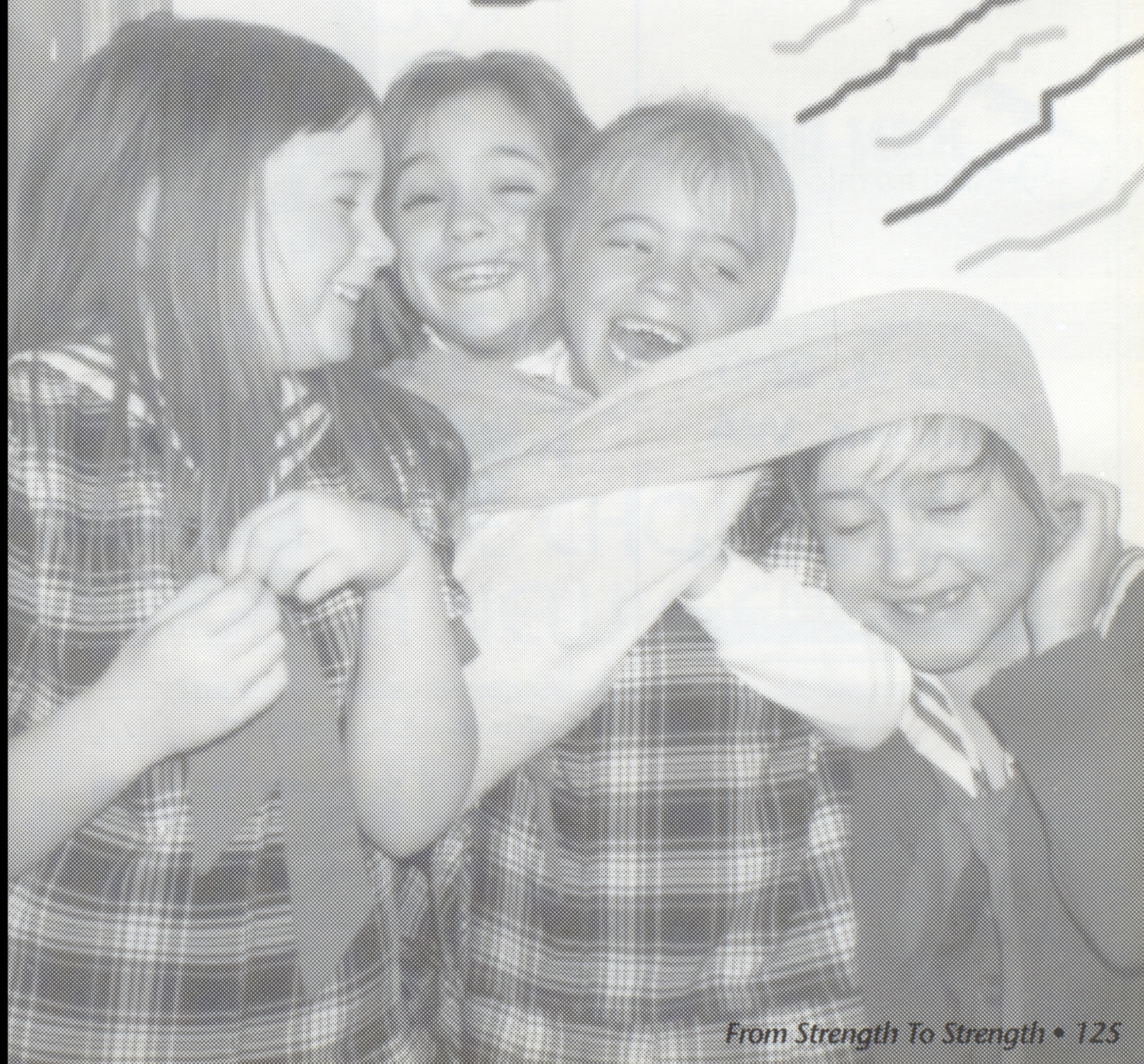
*George Mathews
Bus Driver*

The yearbook staff at the Annie Wright School hopes that you enjoy the 1993 Shield. Much hard work went in to the production of this book. Students and teachers at all levels in all divisions of the school generated materials that went in to the finished product.

The staff of the 1993 Shield hopes that you will treasure this compilation of student activities for years to come.

Thanks to all for their time, assistance, and encouragement!

**WE HOPE THAT YOU ENJOY
THE 1993 SHIELD
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The Child Abuse Prevention Resources Board, Staff, Mary Swenson's Mom and all the children and families we serve would like to thank you for sponsoring families during the holidays. Your generosity set an example for the community that people of all ages can make a huge difference. Good Luck!

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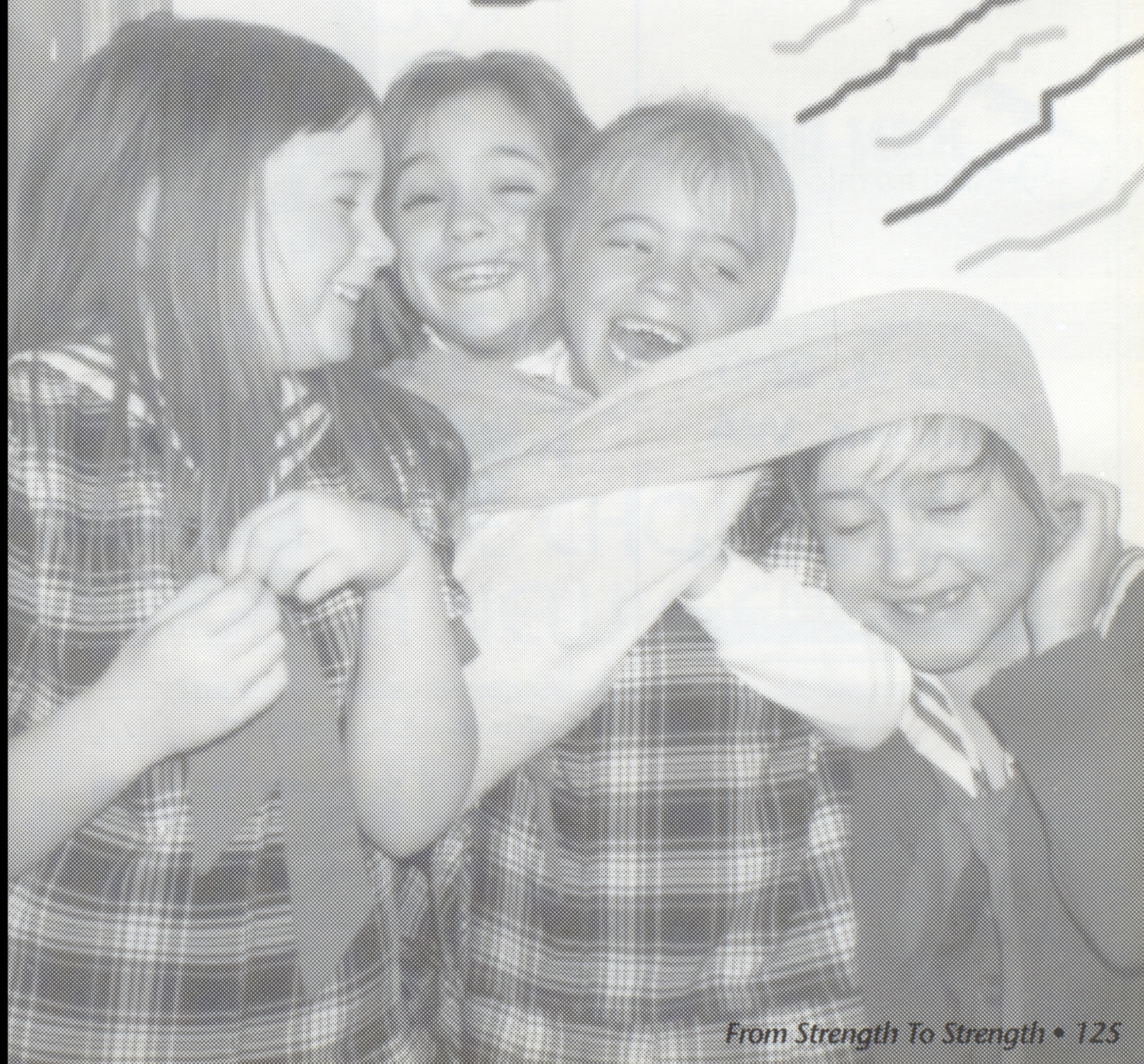
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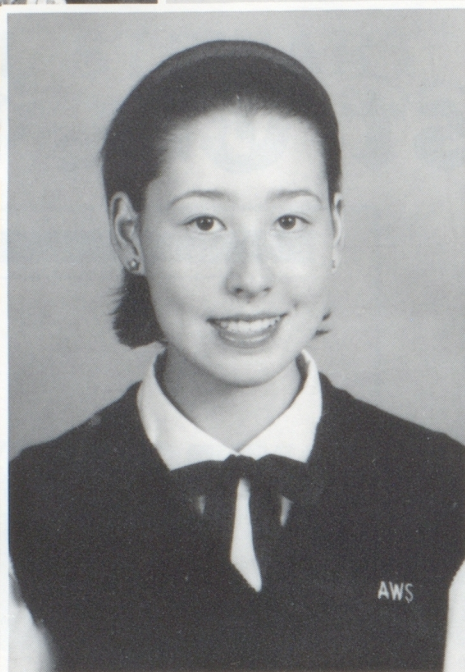


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To the Yellow
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Love, The
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**We are so
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-Love-
Mom,
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Leah

**Injustice anywhere is
a threat to justice
everywhere.**

M. L. King Jr. 1963

**Best Wishes
Mr. Timson & Ms. Soucey**



Above: "Nuttin' but a 'G' thang baby"



"Left: We got you and we're ready to go."

Right: "Mona, we were on our way to speech therapy and she tripped again!"



Above: "We should have stayed at the party."



Above: "We love you, and you'll always be in our hearts."



Left: "Why you guys always pickin' on me?"

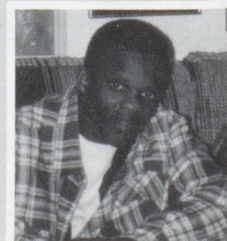


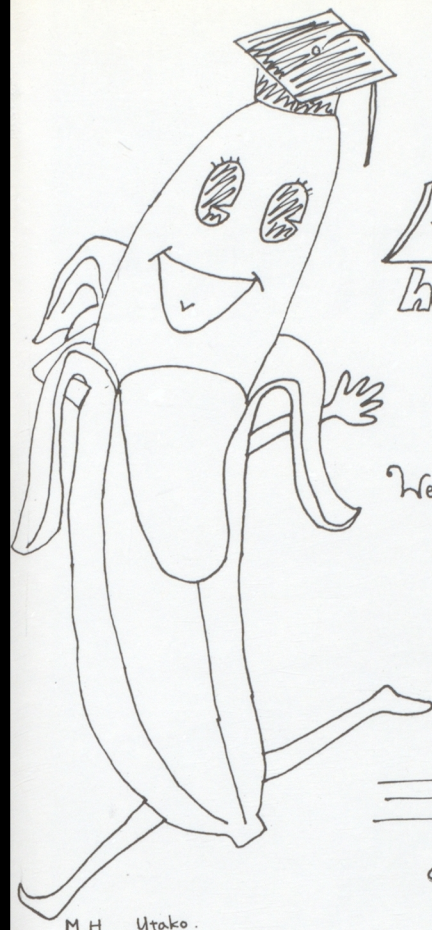
Left: "MO-NA, HA HA VERY FUNNY!
I love you and will miss you, always."



Above: "Who's on the phone? I don't remember him."

Right: "What 'choo mean you're not mine??"





THE
Bananas
have split!

We'll miss you a lot!!

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♡ The Spinach
Class of 1995



To My Dearest Daughter Angela:

Since you were born, you have been such a beautiful addition to our family.

Now that you are growing up, I can see that you are a beautiful addition to the world and I am proud of you.

As I watch you doing things on your own, I know you will find happiness and success because I am confident in your ability, your self-knowledge, your values. But if you ever need me, I am always here to help you, to understand you, to support you and to love you.

Your mother, Your friend.

"Good Luck to the Class of 1993"

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Congratulations to Eric McLeod,
finishing his full 8 years at
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Our best wishes for your
high school years,

Tom, Richard, & Patrick



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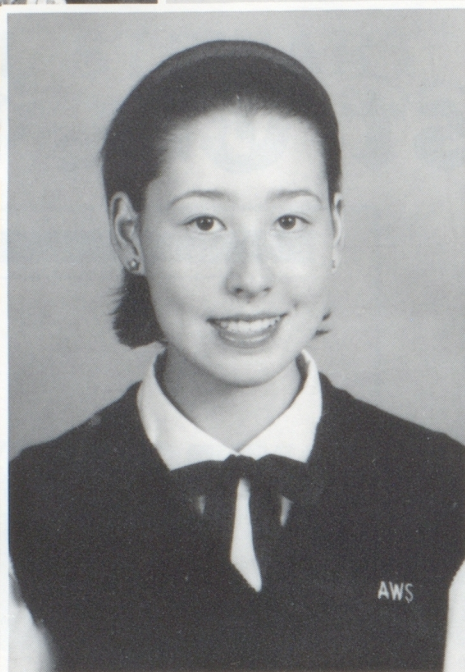


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a threat to justice
everywhere.**

M. L. King Jr. 1963

**Best Wishes
Mr. Timson & Ms. Soucey**



Above: "Nuttin' but a 'G' thang baby"



"Left: We got you and we're ready to go."

Right: "Mona, we were on our way to speech therapy and she tripped again!"



Above: "We should have stayed at the party."



Above: "We love you, and you'll always be in our hearts."



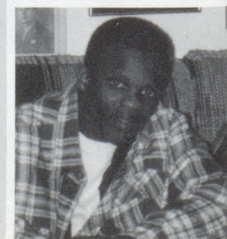
Left: "Why you guys always pickin' on me?"



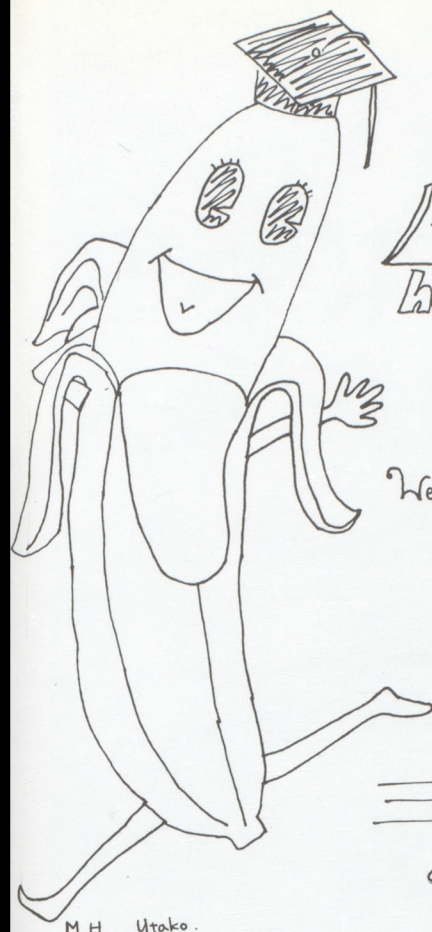
Left: "MO-NA, HA HA VERY FUNNY!
I love you and will miss you, always."



Above: "Who's on the phone? I don't remember him."



Right: "What 'choo mean you're not mine??"



THE
Bananas
have split!

We'll miss you a lot!!

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♥ The Spinach
Class of 1995



To My Dearest Daughter Angela:

Since you were born, you have been such a beautiful addition to our family.

Now that you are growing up, I can see that you are a beautiful addition to the world and I am proud of you.

As I watch you doing things on your own, I know you will find happiness and success because I am confident in your ability, your self-knowledge, your values. But if you ever need me, I am always here to help you, to understand you, to support you and to love you.

Your mother, Your friend.

"Good Luck to the Class of 1993"

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Congratulations to Eric McLeod,
finishing his full 8 years at
Annie Wright.

Our best wishes for your
high school years,

Tom, Richard, & Patrick



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THE RED TIE

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TENNIS

The 1993 Tennis team was very diverse composed of mostly international students. Many of the players went to summer tennis camp to prepare for the season. Even though rain occasionally interfered with practice and matches, the team continued to work hard and did a smashing job of representing Annie Wright. Coach Rick Swenson felt that the team improved dramatically over the previous year and he looks forward to an even better year in 1994.



Rick Swenson concentrating on his practice session.



Team members, Back: Simone Paar, Sarah Kaiser, Sara Kawamura, Mayumi Matsuno, Coach Rick Swenson. Middle: Cynthia Hoof, Utako Shirato, Olivia Peters, Etsuko Koide, Aki Yanagisawa. Front: Nanthinee Noranitipadungkarn, Claire Vitiainen, Tanya Vlasak, Mami Tosaka.

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See Ya...



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+ ♥ Healey

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Good Luck Seniors!

Wouldn't Wanna Be Ya!!

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Becky Kirkpatrick
Sophie Stewart

Imme
Severin

Jennifer
Kudlow
Megan
Kennebeck

Darcy
Olsen +

Steph
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Michael

Amis
Choi
"Good Luck"
Kari
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Nick Fomigo
Danielle
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From
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